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GAGE

Talked Before the House Committee on Banking Yesterday.

Retirement of Greenbacks

Is Recommended by Him as One Way to Help Retain the Parity of Metals--Reorganization Bill Goes to McKinley for Signature.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Secretary Gage had an extensive hearing before the house committee on banking and currency on the subject of revising the banking laws with a view to establishing an elastic currency based on bank assets. The bill under consideration was introduced by Mr. Lovering (Mass.) and has attracted much attention in banking and financial circles, as it provides a plan of guaranteed banknotes, a bank guaranty fund, annual tax on notes in circulation and provisions to insure redemption. Mr. Gage said he regarded the measure as a step in the right direction, but he did not consider it broad enough to meet the requirements of our financial situation. Mr. Gage said it was his belief that greenbacks shold be retired. He said this would strengthen the government in maintaining the parity of the metals. He was afraid the enactment of this bill would postpone the retirement of the greenbacks, as the banks would become reconciled to the system. In passing any bill for an elastic currency, he thought the greenbacks should be retired, and that this could best be accomplished by a measure dealing with the whole subject of circulation.

Army Reorganization a Law.

Washington, Feb. 1.—After an eventful legislative experience, beginning with the present session of congress and covering about two months, the bill for the reorganization of the United States army has passed its last stage in congress and now goes to the president for his signature. The final step was taken in the senate, where by a vote of 33 to 25, the conference report on the bill was agreed to. The house of representatives already had agreed to the report. The shipping bill was discussed during the latter part of the day and some progress was made on amendments. A speech by Mr. Rawlins (Utah) against the bill was a feature. Mr. Chandler announced that a night session would be moved to advance the bill to its final stages.

Senator McCumber gave notice of an amendment to the ship subsidy bill limiting contracts under the bill to 12 years and making other changes in the same line. Senator Pettus presented an amendment limiting the aggregate expenditures under the bill to $180,000,000.

Future of Democracy.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The house passed the fortifications appropriation bill and made fair progress with the postoffice appropriation bill. During the general debate upon the former bill Mr. Lanham of Texas delivered a notable speech upon the future of the Democratic party, in which he made strong plea for the necessity of united Democracy, and counseled the burial of the hatchet and the welcoming back of those who in the last two presidential campaigns have declined to support the nominees of the party. Many amendments were offered to the postoffice appropriation bill in the interest of various claims of postoffice employes, but they all went down before points of order raised by Mr. Loud, the chairman of the postoffice committee, who was in charge of the bill.

Aimed at Bribe-Givers.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Representative Lentz of Ohio introduced in the house a bill entitled "A bill to promote the purity of elections." It provides that in presidential and congressional elections bribe-givers or offerers of bribes on conviction shall be subject to pay a fine of $500 to $1,000, shall be imprisoned and be disfranchised for from five to 15 years, and be, during that period, disqualified from holding elective office. The bribe-taker or the person offered the bribe shall receive one-half of the fine and not be punishable. The bill also provides that no person or corporation shall contribute to any campaign fund for the use outside of the district in which he or it resides, and prescribes heavy penalties for violations.

Morgan on the Canal.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Senator Morgan, chairman of the senate committee on interoceanic canals, presented the sixth installment of his report on the Nicaragua canal bill. The report is based largely upon the protocols between the United States, Costa Rica and Nicaragua. These protocols, it says, give important and unquestionable rights to those two republics, and the conclusion is drawn that "whether these protocols are or not obligatory on the government of the United States, they are notice to Great Britain that her insistence upon the Clayton-Bulwer treaty will not prevent or unreasonably delay the construction of the Nicaragua canal by act of congress."

Ohio Postmasters Confirmed.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The senate in executive session confirmed the following nominations: Ohio Postmasters—Lester Crittenden, Burton; Thos E. Dennington, Malta; George E. Reed, Prairie Depot; Orrin W. Curtis, Swanton. Also a number of promotions in the army and navy.

TO BAND OF PIPERS

Walked the Mourners Following the Remains of the Dead Queen.

Osborne, Feb. 1.—"Queens weather" held today for the funeral. The cortage started from Osborne at 1:45 o'clock. The coffin which weighed 700 pounds was borne forth by six stalwart grenadiers and placed on gun carriage. Immediately came King Edward, Kaiser and Duke Connaught, three abreast. The whole procession, including Queen Alexandria, walked to the music of pipers and bands for a mile and a quarter to Trinity Pier, where the body was conveyed to the Royal yacht, Alberta. Glittering soldiery and sombre royalty made an impressive appearance as they walked through the lane of people solidly massed.

The Queen's coffin rested on a dias of ruby velvet on the main deck of the Alberta where all could see. The ship started on her way mid the booming of guns through a line of warships eleven miles long, bigger than the whole United States navy, and arrived at Portsmouth at 4:30.

Wants an Extra Term of Court.

Pittsfield, Feb. 1.—Senrea Taylor, a prominent St. Louis lawyer has come to defend Robert Fosburg. He has asked an extra term of court to insure a speedy trial. He says there is no doubt of the innocence of his client. A search is being made for the alleged burglar Patrick Quinn, who wore a hat similar to the one found in the Fosburg house after the murder of Miss Fosburg.

Detective Attempts to Commit Suicide

New York, Feb. 1.—Tim Desmond, detective, attempted suicide this morning by jumping from a balcony in the Raymond street jail where he is confined for murder. His skull was fractured but it is thought he may live. While drunk, he entered the cottage of a young clerk, named Mullen, who was just married, on a pretense of finding a burglar. Mullen remonstrated, and was shot dead.

Son of Bank President Commits Suicide

Upper Sandusky, Ohio, Feb. 1.—Chas. Layton, the son of the President of the Commercial National bank, formerly employed as book-keeper in the bank suicided this morning. He was despondent because he lost his position, the directors having let him out to reduce expenses. He made elaborate preparation for the occasion and dressed himself in his best clothes, left letters for the family, and put a cloth under his head to catch the blood.

Narrow Escape From a Horrible Death

Kent, Ohio, Feb. 1.—The wife and three children of A. S. Smith had a narrow escape from being burned to death at 5 o'clock this morning. A lamp exploded and the house was soon a mass of flames. Smith dragged his wife and children through a window in their night clothes, not an article in the house was saved.

Month's Failures.

New York, Feb. 1.—Reports to R. G. Dun & Company show failures in January 1,242 in number and $11,520,811 in amount of liabilities. Of this aggregate 250 were in manufacturing for $4,700,984, and 948 in trading for $5,311,804; while in brokerage, transporting, real estate, etc., there were 40 failures for $1,508,023. Besides these strictly commercial disasters, eight financial houses closed their doors, owing $1,070,857.

Three-Eyed League.

Peoria, Ills., Feb. 1.—The Indiana-Illinois-Iowa Baseball league is now an active organization. It will be known as the "Three I's League." The circuit will comprise Peoria, Decatur, Bloomington, Rockford and Rock Island in Illinois; Davenport and Cedar Rapids in Iowa and Terre Haute in Indiana. M. H. Sexton of Rock Island was chosen president and also secretary and treasurer of the league.

TOMORROW'S PAGEANT.

London, Feb. 1.—The scheme decoration for tomorrow has taken definite form. There will be great masses of purple with touches of black. The iron railings have been boarded up and painted purple. Green wreathes are hung on every lamp post. Small hotel rooms overlooking the route of the procession are renting for 100 guineas per day. Stands are everywhere with seats at from 5 to 10 guineas.

TO HELP CARREL.

Detroit, Feb. 1.—The women here will raise a purse for Mrs. Nation to help wreck saloons. The W. C. T. U. sent her $20 as a starter.

BRYAN

Will Respond to Thos. Jefferson

At the Mammoth Banquet in Columbus,

While Altgeld Will Perform a Similar Service for Andrew Jackson and Towne Will Respond to Lincoln.

Columbus, O., Feb. 1.—The toasts to be responded to at the Jefferson-Jackson-Lincoln banquet to be held in this city at the Columbus auditorium the evening of Feb. 12 have been made public. Hon. William J. Bryan will respond to "Jefferson," ex-Governor Altgeld to "Jackson," ex-Senator Charles A. Towne to "Lincoln;" Senator-elect Carmack of Tennessee, "Jefferson to Lincoln;" Senator Pettigrew, "Lincoln Down to Hanna;" Representative De Armand of Missouri, "Our Government Should Be Controlled by the Ballot Box and Not by the Musket." It is expected that fully 2,000 persons will be seated at the banquet tables, while thousands will look on from the galleries.

SPLENDOR

Of the Ball Room for Inaugural Ball

Will Surpass Anything Before Attempted.

Those in Management of Mckinley's Second Inaugural are Anxious to Outshine All Previous Efforts.

Washington, Feb. 1. — The Marine band will supply the promenade music for the inaugural ball, while a selected orchestra of 125 pieces will render the dance music. The Marine band has been engaged for a series of five concerts to be held in the hall of the Pension building on March 5 and 6 to afford an opportunity to those who can not attend the inaugural ball to view the decorations, which will be left in place until after the concerts. The price for each of these concerts will be 50 cents, while $5 a ticket will be charged for admission to the ball. A chorus of 300 local singers will be a feature of the closing concert. The ballroom decorations, it is said, will be of surpassing splendor.

DESTROYED

Was the Business Part of the City.

Telephone and Telephone Wires Grounded

And the Place Cut Off from Communication with the Outside World. Overturned Lamp Caused the Trouble.

Fargo, N. D., Feb. 1.—The business portion of Fort Abercrombie, 30 miles south of Fargo, was destroyed by fire, which is reported to have been started by an overturned lamp in a machinery house. Both the telephones and telegraph are grounded, but messages from adjoining towns state that the fire was brought under control after 11 business houses were destroyed. These include the bank, postoffice, Milwaukee depot, elevator and two implement warehouses, three general stores, drug store and telephone exchange. All the business places on the south side of the main street were burned. The loss is placed at from $80,000 to $90,000.

MILES

Of Warships Will Participate

In the Tribute

Paid to Deceased Queen of England.

The Removal of the Remains From Osborne Palace to the Mainland

Made the Most Magnificent Pageant Ever Witnessed. The Spectacle Was Viewed by Thousands of British People.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Feb. 1.—The ceremony attending the removal of the late queen's remains from Osborne palace to the mainland was a glittering spectacle, for spectacle rather than funeral it was, rivaling in studied magnificence the naval and military display which marked Queen Victoria's jubilee.

It was nearly 4 p. m. when the royal coffin was placed on board the yacht Alberta. The mile and a half of road outside the town of East Cowes and separating Osborne from Trinity pier is a typical country thoroughfare. The troops that lined it had difficult work. The coffin, the military spectacle and the other attendant features inspired intense interest and emotion, but what created greater interest for the dense multitudes was the fact that Queen Alexandria and the princesses of royal blood walked down the muddy road and through the narrow streets to the water's edge.

Amid the boom of cannon, the royal yachts started on the journey to the mainland. Ten miles of warships, the pick of the British, French and German navies, paid a last magnificent tribute to the dead sovereign. Through a stately double row formed by the warships passed the yachts, each craft saluting the Alberta as she passed.

The body will be landed at Gosport.

Pageant at London.

London, Feb. 1.—On Saturday, Feb. 2, a guard of honor will be mounted at the London stations, Victoria and Partington, and at Buckingham palace. At 9 o'clock precisely the royal coffin will be removed from Portsmouth to London, arriving at Victoria at 11 o'clock. On its arrival in London the royal coffin will be removed from the carriage by an officer and 12 men of the Grenadier guards, placed on a gun carriage, and the crown and cushion will be laid thereon. The procession will then move. There will be a magnificent military display. Royalty will ride in carriages, and every nation on earth will have its representatives in line.

Wreaths have been arriving so unceasingly that it was found necessary to exclude visitors from the dean's cloisters, where the wreaths are being displayed, as the increasing inflow of visitors interfered with the work of unpacking and arranging the tributes.

The managers of the London afternoon papers have decided unanimously to suspend publication Saturday, so that those who are not able to witness the funeral scenes will have to wait until Sunday for the descriptions. Such a suspension, except on Good Friday, is almost without a precedent. It will serve to emphasize the solemnity of a great occasion. The Daily Mail recalls that on the occasion of the funeral of Queen Elizabeth, no foreigner followed the bier with the exception of the French ambassador, and it adds that "now all Europe will accompany the bier of the mother of sovereigns."

Today is a day of complete national mourning, not only in London but throughout the provinces and the colonies. There was a general closing of shops and a suspension of business, as well as the holding of memorial services. The directors of the Northeastern railway system of England ordered that at 2:30 p. m., the hour appointed for the funeral at Windsor, all trains shall be brought to a standsill and every servant of the company shall remain motionless for 10 minutes.

Paid Back Taxes.

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 1.—The Illinois Central Railroad company paid to the state revenue agent here $750,000, this being the amount of back taxes due the state and various counties and municipalities in the state from 1893 to 1900 under the recent decision of the United States supreme court.

Struck Oil.

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 1.—Bremen village, southeast of here, is excited over the discovery of oil along the Yellow river bottoms. A company was organized by 100 men to develop the new oil fields.

DEFAULTER SHOT HIMSELF.

New York, Feb. 1.—John P. Mason, aged 38, the defaulting clerk of the Continental National bank, shot and killed himself, at his home, this morning. Mason was to have been arraigned today out on bail. He was charged with stealing $12,000 of the bank's money.

SERVED THEM RIGHT.

Jersey City, Feb. 1.—1,500 people, many of whom hissed the prisoners saw Death, Campbell, Kerr and McAllister on the way to their long term at Trenton. They will be put to hard labor at once.

ENVOYS

Are Still Divided as to Policy.

Some Want the Most Drastic Measures

Adopted and are Anxious to See a Few Chinamen Beheaded While Others Would be More Moderate.

Peking, Feb. 1.—At a general meeting of the foreign envoys it was decided to hold a joint meeting of the envoys and the Chinese plenipotentiaries next week. Opinions regarding punishment are much divided, some favoring drastic measures like beheading the majority of those considered especially responsible, particularly Prince Tuan, who, next to the empress dowager, is considered the principal culprit; but others, acting under instructions from their governments, advocate nominal punishments like banishment. It is generally recognized that all the foreign envoys, with the possible exception of M. De Giers, the Russian minister, personally believe leniency would be a great mistake.

SECOND

Session of Miners and Operators

Was Held in Columbus Yesterday.

Nearly One Thousand Delegates from the Two Interests were Represented at This Important Meeting.

Columbus, O., Feb. 1.—The second session of the fourth joint conference of the miners and operators of the competitive field, composed of the states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Pennsylvania, was called to order in the auditorium of the board of trade by President John Mitchell of the national organization of miners. About 700 miners and 150 operators are in attendance. President Mitchell was selected as temporary president, and C. L. Scroggs of Chicago as temporary secretary. Committees on credentials, permanent organization and rules and order of business were appointed. The committee on credentials unanimously decided to refuse admission to Iowa and Michigan, leaving the conference as it has been heretofore. The committee on permanent organization selected Walter Mullins of Wooster, an operator in the Massillon district, as permanent chairman; W. B. Wilson, secretary-treasurer of the national miners' organization, as permanent secretary; and C. L. Scroggs of Chicago as assistant secretary.

The miners' demands will consist of 10 cents increase on the ton over the present price, to be based on the run of mine, and a uniform differential over the entire competitive field between pick and machine mining. The operators will oppose all the demands of the miners, and they say that the miners will do well to maintain the present conditions. There is every indication that the conference will last for at least 10 days before the final adjournment is made.

SEATS SELLING FAST.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 1.—Despite the attempt to kill the affair the sale of tickets for the Jeffries-Ruhlin fight is booming; $35,000 worth of seats have been disposed of. The proprietors expect to sell $70,000 worth.

In Collision.

London, Feb. 1.—His majesty's ship Opossum has arrived at Pembroke, Wales, with five feet of water in her collision bulkhead, having collided with the British torpedo boat destroyer Vigilant.

GOMEZ

Fight Renewed in the Cuban Constitutional Convention.

Very Bitter Feeling Exists

Between the Two Factions on the Island.---The Muddle is Over the Qualifications of the President.---A Deadlock Threatens to Block Work.

Havana, Feb. 1.—The Cuban constitutional convention finished a lot of minor business. It was voted to increase the number of tax payers in the electoral college for the election of senators to twice the number of legislators, and the article was also modified by the introduction of a clause permitting professional man to serve as electors. Article 3 in section 7 was so modified as to make only native-born Cubans eligible to the senate.

A similar clause in article 2 of section 12 brought about a deadlock in the convention. It was in reference to the qualifications of the president, and the old Gomez fight was revived. The anti-Gomez men, led by General Sanguily and Senators Giberga and Juan Gualberto Gomez, favored the eligibility of only native-born Cubans, while the partisans of General Gomez, headed by Senators De Quesada and Nunez, advocated the retention of the clause in the original draft, making eligible naturalized citizens who had served 10 years in the wars. Each ballot resulted in a tie of 14 to 14.

After a discussion lasting two hours Senor Gomez, who is an avowed Gomezite, entered, and a call was made for the president to assemble the convention. The opponent of General Gomez, however, refused to take their seats, and after several efforts the delegates withdrew from the hall. The feeling engendered by the controversy was very bitter, several opponents of Gomez asserting that they would resign if the clause making him eligible to the presidency was adopted. A later session was suspended through want of a quorum, the anti-Gomez faction refusing to attend. The deadlock threatens to continue indefinitely. General Gomez recently announced in a letter to the press that he did not desire to hold office in the new republic.

NEARING

An End is the Row in Venezuela.

The Revolutionists Were Defeated

In a Battle Near Carunpano—The Ashhalt Concession is Not Protected by Local Government.

Washington, Feb. 1.—A report from Minister Loomis at Caracas indicates that the revolution is near an end in the opinion of the Venezuelan government, in view of a decisive victory gained over the revolutionists near Carunpano. The Venezuelan government has declined to prevent the local officials in the province of Bermudez from acting toward taking possession of the New York-Bermudez concession at Pitch lake, and these local officials have demanded the surrender of the arms and ammunition belonging to the asphalt people.

THE WEATHER.

Ohio—Generally fair tonight and Saturday, except snow flurries along the lakes.

Conflagration In New York.

New York, Feb. 1.—The explosion in the cigar factory of the W. Wicke company in East Thirty-first street, by which over 20 persons were injured, was followed by one of the fiercest conflagrations New York has witnessed in many years, causing an estimated loss of $1,500,000. The burned area, in general, took in about one city block. The Wicke company's building, the building abutting it from Thirty-second street and several tenement houses were among the destroyed buildings. Several lumber yards in the vicinity were considerably damaged. The fire was witnessed by immense crowds of people, and it is said was the most spectacular one New York has ever seen.

A Telltale Letter.

Cincinnati, Feb. 1.—The arrest of Dr. Ada Sheehan Horman, her husband and her son, Clyde Sheehan, here, on a charge of trying to secure money by extortion and threats, has led to the discovery of a letter in Mrs. Horman's room which is said to be in the same handwriting as the "Eloise T." letters sent to Mrs. Cudahy in Omaha, offering to reveal the kidnaper of Eddie Cudahy for $10,000.

Wittenberg Muddle.

Springfield, O., Feb. 1.—The faculty of Wittenberg college reached a decision in the case of Arthur Grindle, who was knocked out by Harvey Miller in the chapel during a controversy between fraternity and nonfraternity men. Excitement runs high, and fraternity men say they will all leave college if Miller is dismissed or even suspended. They also claim that he will be exonerated.

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CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. This Kind You Have Always Bought

Mother-of-Pearl.

An article much sought after at the present day is mother o' pearl shell from the colony of Queensland, the raw material from which is made knife and fork handles, pearl buttons for garments, and the thousand and one ornaments retailed at fancy shops. The commercial pearl shell Meleagrina margaritifera, is fished in Torres Straits, Thursday Island, the northernmost settlement in Queensland, being the headquarters of the industry. The shell is brought to London and sold by public auction five or six times a year. Buyers from all parts of the world attend these sales. The value of pearl shell has increased of late years, the present price being about £150 to £220 a ton for "bold" Queensland shell. In 1899 the colony exported £150,000 worth of pearl shell. Frequently pearls are found embedded in the interior surface of the shell, on one occasion a perfect spherical specimen was found, the first price for which was £400.

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MARDI GRAS RATES

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THOUSANDS SENT INTO EXILE.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds, and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vortkamp's corner Main and North streets. Price 50c and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

American Coal in France.

In spite of the freight charges of 21 to 22½ shillings per ton, American coal can be delivered at Marseilles for about the same price as English, or even a little less.

AMERICAN DUCHESS.

BORN IN NEW ORLEANS, THE DAUGHTER OF A JEW.

She Wedded a Duke and Then Became the Princess of Monaco and Queen of Roulette—Now She Seeks a Divorce—A Possible Lesson.

(Special Letter.)

Americans will be interested in a royal divorce that will soon hold the boards in Europe, for the reason principally, that the person seeking it is an American, the daughter of a New Orleans Jewish banker, named Heine. She is the Princess of Monaco, that wicked little principality by the blue Mediterranean, where royalties and villains touch elbows and where virtue hides in a corner, with vice enthroned and embiazoned.

The Jewish banker of New Orleans had great wealth and great ambition. He knew the power of money and the almost irresistible potency of wealth when coupled with beauty. The latter quality his daughter, Mary Alice, possessed. She also possessed ambition. They were a fitting pair and made a strong combination.

To Capture a Title.

One day they both agreed that it would be a good thing if Mary Alice

PRINCESS OF MONACO.

should capture a title. And so they went to gay and wicked and seductive Paris. The father spent money lavishly; the daughter aided him in scattering the dollars that had flowed into his bank in New Orleans. She dressed gorgeously. There was nothing too expensive for the fetted beauty and it was not long before she had admirers at her feet. She accepted one of them, the Duke of Richelieu and of several other places, and they were married. Apparently they lived happily and had the husband survived the Jewish banker's daughter might not now be seeking a divorce. But the husband died and after the formal period of mourning the duchess dried her eyes and looked around for other worlds to conquer.

She arrived at Monte Carlo at what some people would call the psychological moment. The Prince of Monaco was then being sued by his first wife for divorce. He didn't care much about that, to be sure, but he was in the mood to worship at another shrine, and he forthwith proceeded to do so.

Becomes a Princess.

The duchess fascinated him. She was still young and fair and vivacious. She dressed, as usual, in superb style and it was not long before the prince was her slave. Probably she didn't care for that very much, but she knew that the prince was a real one and actually ruled over the little principality of Monaco. Surely here was a title worth having. She reasoned that if she were a princess she would be received at the courts of Europe on grounds of equality. Who would throw away that chance, who bother about lords and dukes if by saying the word she could become their social superior? And she said the word and legally became the Princess of Monaco, This was nine years ago.

The princess, however, soon found that she was not looked upon with favor at the European courts. True, she was a princess, but the princess of a gambling hell—the greatest on earth. The money that helped support her was the income from the gambling tables and it was blood stained. The blood of suicides was smeared all over it—suicides who ended their lives when unlucky turns of the wheel had rendered them paupers.

But the princess was diplomatic. Diplomacy is in the blood of her race. She induced her husband to proclaim that after the lease of the gambling resort had expired it would not be renewed. This was well received at the European courts and the stock of the princess' social aspirations went up. At this time the prince was interested in the biology of the sea and contributed something to the world's knowledge of deep sea life. He was honored by scientific bodies and found himself famous. The princess' stock had now reached par and to her great delight she was received by royalty. Her ambition was satiated.

Prince Failed to Keep His Word.

The prince, however, didn't keep his word relative to the gambling license. He renewed the lease on its expiration two years ago. Immediately royalty frowned and the prince and princess have since been ignored.

And now comes the rumor of divorce and with it is coupled another rumor to the effect that the princess is never heeding the loss of sleep, went on his journey.

Many Votes Ahead.

But his fame as a fiddler somehow traveled faster than he did. Wherever he went they asked him to play, and he never refused them. Big and little, young and old, stout and lean, have danced to his music. Already they talk of him as the "Governor."

It has been thus daily for weeks, in which Judge Holt has ridden a thousand miles over the rough mountain roads. Dumplings, babies and fiddling, all these three have brought him renown. But the fiddling has done more to help him along than anything else.

The judge is modest withal. He does not claim to be either a wonder or a hero. He says he is just making a plain canvass among the plain people, and naturally is putting his best foot foremost. As domestic matters are ever uppermost in the minds of all good married men he has learned the arts of cooking, of tending babies, of sweeping carpets, of peeling potatoes, of mending socks and other similar things by observing Mrs. Holt do them. Thus it is, he says, that he has impressed his neighbors with his qualifications for the governorship, for they see by his very actions that he can govern himself, and, therefore, are free to assume that he can govern the state.

J. D. POTTS.

All druggists guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for lagrippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. nov1-4t

WOMAN'S POINT OF VIEW.

The far-seeing man is not apt to rush into things blindly.

It is a greater theft to steal reputation than to steal diamonds.

The girl with pretty shoulders is not apt to disapprove of decollete gowns.

The well-dressed woman never adopts the exaggerations of fashion.

One of the best compliments a man can pay a woman is to say she is "stylish."

More than one woman keeps a "best dress" hanging on hooks until it is out of style.

Why is it that the things we can't get always seem so much more desirable than the things we have?

Judging from the way they talk, there are a good many people in this world who could give Providence a hint or two on how to run the universe.—Philadelphia Times.

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SIDELIGHTS.

The prosperity of fools shall destroy them.—Solomon.

Patience is the most essential ingredient of genius.

It's a poor picture that attracts less attention than the frame.

A woman with a three-inch tongue can make a giant feel like a midget.

Politics may be found in honesty, but honesty isn't always found in politics.

The ribs of tobacco leaves are among the substances out of which paper is made.

Women ride on the platforms of street cars in Belgium, Holland and Germany, as well as men.

J. A. Lambert of Rachel, N. C., writes: "I heartily endorse Foley's Kidney Cure. It does what you claim it will do, and there is nothing equal to it, and I thank you for the good it has done me." Accept no substitute. H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

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There are thousands of men and women, as well as ever, with holes in their lungs: consumption stopped.

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BELIEVES IN AFRICANS.

Explorer Cherry Says the Natives Are Superior to Indians.

SPENT FOUR YEARS AMONG THEM.

Traveled Twenty Thousand Miles in Central Africa and Studied the Negroes and Their Unknown Country. Learned Their Languages—Found a New Species of Elephants.

After four years in a hitherto unexplored part of central Africa W. Stamps Cherry, who has won for himself a name as an explorer and scientist, has returned to his home in Chicago. He left for Africa in May, 1896, and left there last September.

"The explorations were undertaken by me for several distinct reasons," said Mr. Cherry to a representative of the New York Herald. "First I wanted to make an anthropological study of natives in that country between the Upper Mobangui and Wadai. Then I wished to inquire into the products of the country and its mineral resources. The possibilities of domestication of the elephant I also wished to study. The journey was not made with any great idea of geographical benefit. I found something that will of course be of use to explorers that follow me, but I was not mapmaking. I traveled in canoe and on foot, changing my bearers from tribe to tribe. I suppose I traveled about 20,000 miles during the four years and more I was in central Africa.

"After landing at Matadi I went to Brazaville. While getting into this country it was necessary to go part way by railroad. I should have much preferred to take my goods by caravan all the way, but this the French government did not allow.

"We had a number of guns and a quantity of ammunition, and when I got to Brazaville, which is in Belgian territory, I was in trouble over them. The Belgian government is very strict about letting any guns get into the territory, fearing they are to be sold to the natives. They could not understand how I should be carrying so much ammunition for my own use and did not believe that an explorer would be going into such a wild country on his own responsibility. They seized my guns and ammunition, and as I had nothing to make my journey with I took employ with the French government and assisted in building boats that Marchand was going to use in his famous expedition.

"Early in 1898 I started north from the French Kongo. I went up the Mobangui river to Bangui. After going up the M'bolmu river I struck across country and later followed up the Kotto river. It was in the territory around here that I staid. I was between the Upper Mobangui and the Wadai rivers, the latter being close to the Arab territory on the north. I was up nearly to the eighth degree north latitude.

"Of course I was in constant danger while I was mingling with the natives. It was a continual case of bluff. I had to make them think the 'great white chief' was a wonder. There was no other way to do. The people were savage, though not particularly treacherous. When I was not in danger from the savages, I was risking my neck elephant hunting. I hunted elephants as a business and at one time had about seven tons of ivory. Elephant hunting is not a sport there. The natives cannot do it. It takes daring and a strong constitution.

"I not only owed my personal safety to my ability to talk the native tongue—and I mastered several of them—but I owed whatever success I attained to this also. Interpreters I found to be worse than useless. The African is like the Chinaman and other orientals. He will not tell the truth from preference. As soon as I would learn a language I found that all I thought I had learned from native interpreters was a tissue of lies. However lax the native's virtue may be as a truth teller, he is not such a fiend as he is painted in other ways. I cannot see how such impressions of African character have come out from Africa.

"The Africans are cannibals, of course. They always have been. It is quite natural for them to eat human flesh, and only in some cases where they are forced to grow used to another sort of flesh diet do they ever give up cannibalism. In many ways I found them remarkably like the American Indians, yet they are more humane than the Indians in that they have not the slightest impulse to torture. The natives in the tribes I lived with had tender hearts and in many cases the kindest impulses.

"Their arts are superior to the Indian. In pottery, iron welding and decoration they show great skill. Their iron work particularly is marvelous. I learned to make all that the natives are capable of making, and I shall be able to demonstrate this in a way that has never been known in the civilized world. I am a believer in the African myself. I think him greatly superior to the Indian and withal a very intellectual people.

"I found a new species of African elephant in the Kotto country. This elephant is quite small and has practically no tusks. This species is more intelligent than the ordinary African elephant and has a forehead similar to that of the Asiatic animal. I also discovered two new species of the African antelope. I will not return to Africa for quite a time at least. I will get my collection together. I will also write a number of articles on my travels, and I expect to deliver lectures as well."

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FIVE O'CLOCK TEA.

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Berlin Letter in London Telegraph: One of the large hotels in Berlin, writes a correspondent, has just started serving afternoon tea between 4 and 6 o'clock in the afternoons. This will, undoubtedly, be much appreciated by those who have been shopping all day and who are a long way from home. It is extraordinary that such an idea has never before struck the enterprising hotel keepers and cafe proprietors in this new capital. In every street there are countless cages and hotels and so-called conditoreis, or pastry cook shops, but the one thing English people delight in—namely a cup of good tea with bread and butter—it is almost impossible to obtain. Tea is served, but instead of being in cups it is brought to the thirsty customer in a glass a la russe, generally with a slice of lemon and hot milk. Bread and butter is an almost unknown quantity, the solid refreshment affected by Germans consisting generally of diverse kinds and shapes, of pastry, round little cakelike shells filled with cream and biscuits covered with chocolate. Cocoa and chocolate are also very popular among German ladies, and they order for afternoon tea a glass of Munich or pilsener beer. English "afternoon tea," however, is hardly ever procurable, except, of course, in private houses. In them English customs are imitated to a very large extent—in fact, to be fashionable the household should be arranged, as far as furniture, meals and dress are concerned, entirely a la mode Anglaise. One of the most curious non-English customs prevailing here is the use of the word "Mahlzeit," literally translated "Mealtime." This expression is always used after dinner. Every one on rising says "mahlzeit," and shakes hands with every one else. The original meaning of the word was, "I wish you a blessed meal." That was finally shortened to "blessed meal," and finally the one word alone was uttered as a sign of politeness. It is curious to note the way in which the expression is used by the uneducated classes. With them one hears it all the day through, especially, however, before and after lunch.

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THOUGHTS BY WHATELEY.

To teach one who has no curiosity to learn is to sow a field without plowing it.

To attempt improving by increasing knowledge, a man who does not know how to make use of what he already has is like seeking to enlarge the prospect of a short-sighted man by taking him to the top of a hill.

Laborers who are employed in driving wedges into a block of wood, are careful to use blows of no greater force than is just sufficient. If they strike too hard, the elasticity of the wood will throw out the wedge.

In combating deep-rooted prejudices, and maintaining unpopular and paradoxical truths, the point to be aimed at should be to adduce what is sufficient, and not much more than is sufficient, to prove your conclusion.

The first business of a teacher—first, not only in point of time, but of importance—should be to excite not merely a general curiosity on the subject of study, but a particular curiosity on particular points in that subject.

Any direct attempt at moral teaching, in a fictitious narrative, and any attempt whatever to give scientific information, will, unless managed with the utmost discretion, interfere with what, after all, is the immediate object of the writer of fiction, as of the poet, to please.

IT CIRCLES THE GLOBE.

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PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS.

After Saul walked in the street called "Straight," his eyes were opened.

Many a man is moral, not because he loves God, but because he loves himself.

The kingdom of heaven has not only longitude and latitude, but sympathy and gratitude.

Christ wants his church to be sustained by "the sincere milk of the Word," not by ice cream.

A man says "life is not worth living," because he has not the Life that is worth living.—W. L. Y. Davis.

SCRAPS.

The Sunday schools in Spain are said to have only 3,200 pupils.

The czar has 27,000 wood police, who each cut £45 worth of wood a year.

A memorial bust of Chopin has been unveiled in the Luxembourg Gardens at Paris.

There are 994 creameries in Iowa, a net increase over those of a year ago of forty-six.

King Oscar of Sweden is the tallest reigning monarch. He is a little over six feet.

There are 300,000 French Canadians, of whom 25,000 are voters, in Massachusetts.

The baggage checking system, which is universal in America, is coming into use in England.

Thirty-six per cent of the area of the state of Washington is covered with merchantable timber.

The Argentine Republic exported only 205,105 bales of wool last year, as against 287,479 in 1898.

Australians hold a world's record in tea consumption, drinking nearly eight pounds a head yearly.

In Milwaukee recently during a rainstorm several trees were set on fire by diverted electric currents.

A new photographic machine takes five different views of a person at one sitting. This is done by means of mirrors.

An election judge in San Francisco cast his vote early, but forgot to mark it, and consequently it was counted as a blank.

The number of Americans in Paris, notwithstanding the steady stream of western bound passengers, has not perceptibly diminished.

Prohibitionists never renominate their presidential candidates. That is their rule.—New York Sun.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Lucinda Brown, of the town of Teneska, Ballygawley, county of Tyrone, Ireland; Sallie Marnitre, (maiden name Sallie Mulhern), of the townland of Salleon, parish of Maraghcross, county of Fermanagh, Ireland; Reverand George McMeel, parish priest of Whitehill Chapel, parish of Maraghcross, county of Fermanagh, Ireland, and John Brown Ferguson, of Teneska, Ballygawley, county of Tyrone, Ireland, will take notice that on the

8TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1900,

James O'Leary, executor of the last will and testament of Henry O'Brien, deceased, filed his petition in the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, in case number 2848, against the above named parties praying for the sale of the following real estate, situated in the county of Allen and state of Ohio, to-wit:

Being the north half of lot number four [4] in Rydman's subdivision of outlot number five [5] Rose's subdivision of the east half of the southeast quarter of section number twenty-five [25] township number three [3] south, range number six [6] east, in said county, and state aforesaid, being the north half of a certain tract of land deeded by J. H. Reilly to Frederick Andrae December 16th, 1863, and recorded on page 107 in volume 50 of the Allen county Records of Deeds;

Also, the south half of a lot of land described as follows, to-wit: Commencing in the center of the road running north from Lima on the township line, twenty [20] feet north of the northeast corner of lot number six [6] in Rose's subdivision of the east half of the southeast quarter of section number twenty-five [25] township number three [3] south, range number six [6] east; thence along said line five and six-tenth [5 6-10] perches north; thence west thirty-two [32] perches; thence south five and six-tenths [5 6-10] perches to within twenty [20] feet of the north line of said lot number six [6]; thence east thirty-two [32] perches to the place of beginning, containing one and twelve-hundredths [1 12-100] of an acre of land, be the same more or less, except a piece of land off the east end thereof two hundred [200] feet long, and being in width the full width of said south half heretofore conveyed to Ellen Gallagher.

Also, to-wit, the strip of land twenty [20] feet wide extending from the southeast corner of the following premises, to-wit: One acre of land off the west end of lot number five [5] in Rose's subdivision of the east half of the southeast quarter of section number twenty-five [25] township number three [3] south, range number six [6] east; thence east on the south line of said lot to within two hundred [200] feet of the county road, running north on the township line between German and Bath townships, and being twenty [20] feet in width off the south side of said lot number five [5].

Praying for the sale of said real estate in order that the executor of the estate of Henry O'Brien deceased can comply with the conditions of his said trust and sell same. That said parties are required to answer on or before the 2nd day of February, 1901, or decree will be taken against them.

JAMES O'LEARY,
Executor of the estate of Henry O'Brien, deceased.
By MOTTER, MACKENZIE & WEADOCK, His Attorneys.

Dec. 19-th&fr-6w

A RESOLUTION.

Declaring it Necessary to Improve North Metcalf Street, From Murphy Street to the South Line of Ewing's Addition, by Grading the Same to the Established Grade.

Be it resolved by the council of the city of Lima as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary to improve north Metcalf street in said city from Murphy street south to the south line of Ewing's addition, by grading the same to the established grade.

Sec. 2. That such grading shall be done in all respects in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications therefor, now on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer.

Sec. 3. That the cost and expense of such grading shall be assessed per front foot upon the lots and tracts of land abutting upon said street between said points, and that such assessment, when made, shall be made payable at such time as may hereafter be determined and fixed by an assessing ordinance.

Sec. 4. That E. D. Randall be, and hereby is appointed to serve notice of the adoption of this resolution upon the owner or owners of each separate lot and tract of land abutting upon said street between said points, who are residents of Allen county, in the manner prescribed by law.

Adopted Jan. 21, 1901.

R. E. DAVIS,
President of Council.

C. E. LYNCH,
City Clerk.

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NOTICE!

The third and final account of A. D. Miller, guardian of Rachel E. Miller, will be for hearing on Saturday, the 9th day of February, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio.

[Seal] M. J. SULLIVAN
Clerk of Courts, Allen County, O.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 19572.
Ex. Dec. 12. Page 318.

The Tecumseh Gravel Co., plaintiff
vs.
Wilbert A. Carey, et al., defendants.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, THE 16th DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1901,

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the City of Lima and Shawnee township, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to wit:

And known as the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section number seventeen (17) in township number four (4) south, range six (6) east, containing forty (40) acres of land.

Also, a part of the south half of the southwest quarter of section thirty-six (36) township three (3) south, range six (6) east, being in the city of Lima, Ohio, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point where the east line of the Shawnee wagon road intersects the north line of Kibby street, running thence east on the north line of Kibby street one hundred and twenty-four (124) feet, thence in a northwesterly direction one hundred and ninety-five (195) feet more or less to a point in the south line of tract of land owned by E. F. Davis sixty-one (61) feet east of the east line of said Shawnee wagon road, thence west sixty-one (61) feet to the east line of said Shawnee wagon road, thence southwesterly on the east line of said Shawnee wagon road to the place of beginning.

Tract of land appraised at $1400.00
House and lot appraised at $1200.00
Total appraisement $2600.00.
Terms of sale: Cash.

E. A. BOGART,
Sheriff, Allen County, O.

Lima, Ohio, January 9th, 1901.
Bentley & Richie, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 19483.
Execution Docket 12. Page 127.

Harmon Kibbey,
Plaintiff.
vs.
The Lima Iron Fence Co. et al.,
Defendant.
Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Ohio on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9TH, A. D. 1901,

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being a part of the southeast corner of the northeast quarter, and the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section one (1), in township fourth (4), south of range six (6) east, in Allen county, Ohio, and bounded and described as beginning at a point in the west line of Greenlawn avenue in the City of Lima, where the south line of the Chicago & Atlantic (now Chicago & Erie) railroad right-of-way crosses said west line of said avenue, the center line of said avenue being the east line of said section one (1), and where said line intersects the south line of said Chicago & Atlantic (now Chicago & Erie) railroad right-of-way 25 and 65-100 chains from the northeast corner of said section one (1).

Thence south along the west line of said avenue three hundred and nine feet and six inches (309-6); thence west at right angles with said avenue three hundred and twenty-two feet and six inches (322-6) to the east line of Broadway; thence north along the said east line of Broadway three hundred and nine feet and six inches more or less to the south line of the right-of-way of said railroad company; thence east along the south line of said right-of-way three hundred and twenty-two feet and six inches more or less to the place of beginning containing three (3) acres more or less.

Appraised at $1,600.00.
Terms of sale: Cash.

E. A. BOGART,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, January 2nd, 1901.
Leete & Brotherton, plaintiff's attorneys.
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Consul General King Says Tendency of the Electrical Trade Is Toward the American Market—Many Supplies For New Tramway Ordered Here—Complaints of the Siamese.

The stable of the white elephant of the king of Siam is lighted by electricity, and the priests who worship the pachyderm ride to and from his temple in an electric trolley car, says the New York Journal.

Electricity has captured the Siamese. Bangkok is lighted with 10,000 lamps, and the company that does the work pays 4 per cent dividends.

The electric company announces that it will shortly be able to furnish power for electric automobiles. The streets are well paved. All that is needed to give the automobile trade a boost is for the king to be seen riding about in one. This, it is said, will be arranged shortly.

Hamilton King, United States consul general to Siam, writes encouragingly to Washington of the electrical boom.

"The three companies that import electric supplies report that their business has more than doubled during the last 12 months, while to my personal knowledge their orders during the last two months have exceeded those of any 12 previous months. There is a large and rapidly increasing business along this line in Bangkok, and there is no reason why the United States should not get a generous share. The tendency is toward the American market.

"The orders for the entire supplies for the new tramway during the last two months have been placed in the United States, with the exception of the rails. The order for the rails went to England, because the company thought they were unable to secure the peculiar kind they wished in any other country. This, however, I believe is largely due to want of information on the subject. Again a large quantity of the American electrical goods used here comes through London and European houses. This is another obstacle that can be removed by our manufacturers placing themselves in direct communication with importers here. American goods are in favor, and the prices suit.

"The importers complain of American lack of promptness in attention to business. While goods are delivered here in three months from the time they are ordered from Europe and England, seven or eight months, and sometimes more, are consumed in getting them from the United States. This delay should be remedied. It is within my knowledge that answers to important cables have been delayed a full month.

"I quote from a letter just received at this office from one of the leading importers of this city (Bangkok):

"'My experience in doing business with the United States for the last ten years is that generally in the United States you get for the same money a better article than in most European countries; but, with few exceptions, American firms are not prepared for business with distant countries. Some of them have not even a cable address, and nearly all are slow and unsystematic in their correspondence. Shipping arrangements to Siam are also defective, as much as four or five months sometimes elapsing between shipments from New York (whence we get most of our goods) and arrival in Bangkok.

"'In consequence, we often prefer to order dearer or inferior articles from Europe to avoid delay and uncertainty.'"

Goodby to the Train Boy.

Goodby to the train boy. On Jan. 1, 1900, on two important American railroad systems, the experiment, heretofore tried tentatively, of excluding from their cars all peddling of popcorn, peanuts, cigars, newspapers, games, caramels, matches and magazines will be inaugurated and the train boy summarily done away with, says the New York Sun. Against this innovation serious and urgent opposition may be expected, for the train boy, with his wares, has come to be regarded if not as a cherished certainly as an unavoidable incident of American passenger travel by railroad. In the evolution of modern travel to its present point of excellence the ununiformed conductor, distinguishable only by his metal badge, the loud shouting brakeman and car coupler have disappeared, but the candy or train boy with his stock of peanuts and confectionery has lingered on, a burden to the patience of many travelers and an unnecessary survival of archaic railroading.

Baldwin's Elaborate Arctic Outfit.

Evelyn Baldwin, the arctic explorer who was recently reported from London as controlling the market for polar dogs, has arranged to secure supplies of Eskimo dogs from Labrador if needed, says a St. John's dispatch to the New York Tribune. He will take with him 400 dogs and 15 Siberian ponies in his proposed expedition, together with the largest transport train in the history of arctic exploration.

Best Solution of Problem.

It is announced that Prince Tuan has escaped, and as he took his head along with him the problem of enforcing the demand of some of the powers will be extremely difficult, says the Omaha Bee. If he will only stay "escaped," the Chinese authorities will be relieved of considerable embarrassment.

WEST VIRGINIA'S OIL QUEEN.

Mrs. Ihrig Quit the Shoe Business, and Her Income is $7,000 a Week.

West Virginia oil developments of the past few weeks have produced what the operators are pleased to call an "oil queen." She is Mrs. Mary Ihrig, formerly of Sistersville, now living in the Tyler county field, where her venturesome spirit and good luck netted her an oil income that has been averaging about $7,000 a week for a month, says a Wheeling dispatch to the New York Evening Sun. Mrs. Ihrig was formerly engaged in the shoe business at Sistersville, and it was while living in that busy town of oil and oil machinations that she developed the speculative fever.

Her shoe business was not very successful, and she began to dabble in oil. Several small ventures are said to have netted her enough to make her confident and willing to undertake the development of the most uncertain "wildcat" territory in the state. She secured control of a large slice of new territory in the upper end of Tyler county, and, regardless of the head shakes and discouraging words of her friends, she went into the field for active operations. Several months ago she contracted for the drilling of a well on her land. A series of mishaps prevented the completion of the job until Dec. 4, when the drill touched a pocket of oil, and a small gusher resulted. The flow was pretty heavy at first, but has since settled down to about 250 barrels a day, with every prospect that the output will be maintained.

The strike is the opening wedge in territory that will prove to be very valuable. Mrs. Ihrig is preparing to put down other wells just as soon as rigging can be hauled to her property. The woman speculator has located several spots upon which her agents will begin drilling as soon as possible. She has purchased a handsome home at Parkersburg and will likely direct her new interests from that point.

EMMA GOLDMAN'S ANARCHY.

She's Tired of Old Forms and Is Going to Teach New Ones.

Emma Goldman, an avowed leader of the autonomist group of anarchists, declared the other day that she has abandoned the idea of the propaganda of deed and is preparing to preach a new doctrine throughout the country, says the New York Sun. The propaganda of deed means the killing of kings, emperors, capitalists or other persons obnoxious to anarchists, and the members of the autonomist group do their own killing as individuals and without being responsible to any one but themselves, while the communists, on the contrary, hold secret meetings and assign persons to the work.

Emma says that while she is an autonomist she differs from most of the other reds as to what an anarchistic state should be. She does not believe that the killing of individuals will hasten the advent of anarchy, and she thinks that most of the anarchistic creeds have not liberty enough in them. They all savor of authority, and she does not want anything that even suggests the idea of government or authority of any kind.

"I propose to go all over the American continent to spread the propaganda," she said. "In the free society which I and others propose to establish every one will be untrammeled unless he or she should do anything which would be an invasion of the rights of others. Crime is a disease, and in this free society criminals will be treated as any other patients would be. The marriage tie will not be recognized, but people can marry or be religious if they want to."

POWER OF AN EVANGELIST.

Strange Influence Manifested at Meetings Held by Mrs. Harrod.

Mrs. Harrod, the woman evangelist, who has been holding a series of meetings in Fleming county, is now heading a meeting at Wallingford, near Poplar Plains, Ky. Almost the entire community for miles around flocks to her meetings every night, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. She invites penitents to come to the altar, and scores of women and men come forward. Some get there, while others fall under a strange influence that seems to pervade the atmosphere.

Men and women fall as if dead and lay for hours. Some remain in this strange trance for two days. They fall on their backs, turn over on their sides, while they curl backward until their head and feet almost meet.

The preacher has the same spells and falls almost every night and lies for 10 or 20 minutes, when she suddenly comes to, springs to her feet and begins dancing and shouting. The curious and skeptical came in great crowds at the beginning, but when numbers of the skeptical were knocked out, so to speak, and fell like dead men and women, the attendance of skeptics was not so great. It is believed at Wallingford that her work is genuine and that the miraculous power comes from above.

The Trolley and the Church.

The trolley is reproducing some of the conditions of early Methodism. It is scattering in new communities the best people we have in America—young people, thrifty people, educated people, aggressive people—where there are no churches, says The Christian City. As our fathers went on horseback over mountain and plain to shepherd the shepherdless, so should we go by trolley wherever a new home is erected. Our Missionary society and Church Extension society should be made to see that the expansion that promises most to Methodism is not in the south, nor in the far west, nor yet in the Philippines, but in the suburbs of the cities of our own central home land.

TEST OF ARMY RATIONS.

Emergency Food Shown Valuable by a Thorough Trial.

GOOD FOR THE MARCH BUT NOT WAR

In Actual Campaigning Men Say the Old Hard Tack and Bacon Would Be Better—Fast Time Made on the Trip—Captain Fountain's Views of the Test.

The emergency ration intended for soldiers on long marches has been given a thorough test, and the result, according to officers and men, is that it is only a qualified success, says a Wichita (Kan.) dispatch to the Chicago Tribune. The food is declared satisfactory for an ordinary march, but if there was fighting to be done the ration would not prove sufficient.

In actual warfare, with the hard work incident to a real campaign, say those who tried the prepared food, the ration would become monotonous and not as valuable as the ordinary hard tack and bacon. With good water and a comfortable overland expedition in which the men could take their time the ration would satisfy as well as the old style of provisions.

This information was received recently from Fort Reno, O. T., where the 25 troopers in charge of Captains Fountain and Foster of the United States army who made the march overland with the Eighth United States cavalry had returned.

The forced march by these troops was made across the Kiowa and Comanche Indian reservation from Fort Reno to Fort Sill, a distance of 1[illegible] miles. The march was made in six days, or at the rate of 25 miles a day. This adds to the average distance a day five miles. Generally marchers on a trip of this kind do not make over 20 miles per day. The men retained their regular weights, and all are feeling in fine spirits.

During the march the men lived wholly upon the emergency rations, partaking of no other food. They were under strict watch of the officers. For the first two days of the march some of the men wanted to go back to hard tack and bacon despite the protests of the officers, but later they became used to the food and liked it even better than the old rations.

The rations tested were prepared under the direction of army officers at the packing houses in Kansas City. The food was put up in cans eight inches long. One day's food weighs one pound, and each can contains three cakes of sweet chocolate and three cakes of food preparation composed of meat and bread principally. This preparation is declared palatable. One of the troopers on his arrival at Fort Reno said that the men could stand the rations to march on all right and live high, but when it came to fighting and marching at the same time on them he feared they would not prove much of a success.

Captain Fountain of the ration test board said:

"I will report to the war department that the emergency ration march across the Indian reservation has been a success, but I cannot say that I would recommend this kind of food for long campaigns. If men only had to march on this food, they could get along all right, while if they were required to fight and eat these rations at the same time I think that it would grow monotonous in time.

"Men who have been used to living at the forts, as these men have been doing, can do better with the rations, and that is another reason why the test has been a success. We have been making more than 20 miles a day on an average. Of course this march depends a great deal on the water. My men have been pretty well satisfied with this march, but I fear if they had to fight Indians on the way they would not like it so well.

"I think as a whole the emergency ration as prepared, however, has been a great success. The war department can use it to advantage in many cases."

EMERGENCY RATIONS TEST.

A Condensed Milk Wafer Being Tried by Captain Foster.

Captain Fred W. Foster and 25 troopers of the Eighth United States cavalry recently left Fort Reno, O. T., for a ten days' march through the Caddo Indian country to make a second test of the emergency rations, says a Wichita (Kan.) dispatch to the New York Post. The test will be a novel one, as the three cakes of sweet chocolate which constituted a part of the rations tested on the march to Fort Sill will be omitted, and a preparation composed of condensed milk will be substituted. They will also make a more severe test of a meat compound, a food preparation prepared under the direction and supervision of the war department.

Captain Foster is of the opinion that the condensed milk food will prove to be a great success and give better satisfaction than the chocolate, which was of little service during the test just completed. The milk food is made up in the form of wafers, and when dissolved with water it forms a kind of soup. Soldiers who have tried the preparation say it is palatable and affords considerable nourishment. A detailed report of both tests will be sent to the war department soon by Captain Foster.

Just the Same.

They tell me that the winter's mild
To calm my shiv'ring fears;
Yet ashes come and ashes go,
And hard coal disappears.
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

FOR THE PHILIPPINES.

War Department Preparing For the Transportation of Troops.

Washington, Feb. 1. — The war department has issued preparatory orders for the transportation of 5,200 regular troops to the Philippines to replace an equal number of volunteers under orders to San Francisco for discharge. There are now about 40,000 regular troops in the Philippines and the problem confronting the military authorities is how to increase that number to 60,000 by the first of July, when the entire volunteer army of 35,000 must be discharged. Advantage will be taken of the provision in the army bill authorizing the recruitment of 12,000 native Filipinos.

And the Crowds Cheered.

The Hague, Feb. 1.—Duke Henry of Meiklenburg-Schwerin, whom Queen Wilhelmina will marry, made his formal entry into the capital wearing the uniform of a Dutch general and Dutch decorations. He was received at the railway station by a guard of honor and with great ceremony. The premier welcomed him on behalf of the cabinet as "the betrothed of our beloved queen." Enormous crowds displayed the wildest enthusiasm.

Little Skirmish.

Johannesburg, Feb. 1.—Four or five hundred Boers recently evaded the British patrols, reached Benoni and attempted to destroy the mines. Some fighting resulted and the Boers were beaten off, carrying away most of their wounded and leaving two wounded behind them. The British captured three prisoners. One Briton was wounded. Commandant Marais was wounded during the attack and subsequently captured.

Robbers Warned.

Berlin, Feb. 1. — A dispatch from Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee, dated Peking, Jan. 31, says: "Hoffman's and Auer's columns have returned without fighting, as the robber bands had excellent sources of information and were warned of the approach of the Germans."

Alaska Gets It.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The house committee on territories reported favorably the Knox bill allowing Alaska a delegate in the house. The committee also voted down the bill to allow the cities and towns of Arizona to issue bonds for the purchase of waterworks.

To Reimburse Mexico.

Washington, Feb. 1.—An amendment to the sundry civil appropriation bill was introduced by Senator Turner appropriating $412,572 for the reimbursement of Mexico for money paid on account of the Weil and La Abra claims.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption: Available cash balance, $142,367,715; gold, $71,421,421.

Pottery Plant Burned.

East Liverpool, O., Feb. 1.—The Rogers pottery, located four miles north of this city, was burned. It was owned by Bradshaw Brothers and was only partially insured.

Convening of Parliament.

London, Feb. 1.—It is officially announced that King Edward has definitely decided to open parliament in person, Feb. 14.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Prices For Jan. 31.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers, $5 10@6 00; poor to medium, $3 45@5 00; stockers and feeders, $3 00@4 00; cows, $2 70@4 25; heifers, $2 75@4 40; canners, $2 00@2 65; bulls, $2 50@4 35; Texas fed steers, $4 00@4 80; Texas grass steers, $3 30@4 00; Texas bulls, $2 50@3 60. Calves—$4 00@5 75. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5 10@5 30; good to choice heavy, $5 00@5 32½; rough heavy, $5 05@5 15; light, $5 10@5 25. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, $3 80@4 30; fair to choice mixed, $3 40@3 85; western sheep, $3 80@4 45; Texas sheep, $2 50@3 50; native lambs, $4 35@5 35; western lambs, $5 00@5 35. Wheat—No. 2 red, 75½@76c. Corn—No. 2, 37¼c. Oats—No. 2, 24½@24¾c.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Good to choice smooth dry fed 1,250 lb. steers and upwards, $4 75@5 00; good to choice smooth dry fed lighter steers, $4 40@4 65; green half fat steers 900 to 1,200 lb., $4 00@4 40; fair to extra cows, $3 00@3 75; bulls, $3 00@3 75. Calves—Fair to best, $6 50@7 75. Sheep and Lambs—Choice ewe and wether lambs, $5 60@5 70; fair to good lambs, $5 25@5 50; good wether sheep, $4 50@4 60; fair to choice yearlings, $4 25@4 75. Hogs—Yorkers and good pigs, $5 45; mediums and heavies, $5 35.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, $5 50@5 70; prime, $5 25@5 40; good, $4 75@5 00; tidy butchers, $4 40@4 70; heifers, $3 00@4 25; cows, bulls and stags, $2 50@4 00; fresh cows, $25@55. Sheep and Lambs—Choice, $4 60@4 75; good, $4 30@4 50; fair, $3 75@4 25; choice lambs, $3 65@5 80; common to good, $4 00@5 00. Hogs—Yorkers and pigs, $5 50@5 55; heavy hogs, $5 40@5 45.

BUFFALO—Cattle: Exporters, $4 25@5 60; shipping, $5 00@5 35; butchers, $4 25@4 75; cows and heifers, $3 50@4 50; stockers and feeders, $3 50@4 25; bulls, $3 25@4 25. Calves—$6 50@8 50. Sheep and Lambs—Best lambs, $5 85@5 90; fair to good, $5 50@5 75; culls and common, $2 75@3 25; yearlings, $4 75@5 25. Hogs—Pigs, $5 60; Yorkers, $5 55@5 60; mediums, $5 45; heavy, $5 40@5 45.

NEW YORK—Cattle: Steers, $4 50@5 40; oxen and stags, $2 90@4 00; bulls, $2 60@4 25; cows, $2 00@3 60; heifers, $2 35. Calves — Veals, $5 00@8 75. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $3 00@4 40; lambs, $5 25@6 25. Hogs—$5 60@5 85. Wheat—No. 2 red, 80⅝c. Corn—No. 2, 49c. Oats—No. 2, 30c.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, 79c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 39½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 27@27½c. Rye—No. 2, 56c. Lard—$7 22½. Bulk Meats—$7 17½. Bacon—$8 25. Hogs—$4 00@5 85. Cattle— $2 25@4 75. Sheep—$1 75@4 25. Lambs—$3 75@5 65.

BOSTON—Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: XX and XX above, 28c; delaine, 29c; No. 1 combing, 28@29c; No. 2 and ⅝-blood, 28@29c; ¼-blood washed, 27@28c; coarse and braid washed, 25@26c.

TOLEDO—Wheat, 78½c; corn, 38½c; oats, 28c; rye, 52½c; cloverseed, $6 70.

BALTIMORE—Butter: Fancy creamery, 33c. Eggs—Fresh, 20c.

THE LEG DID NOT COME OFF.

Northrop Has a Hard Time, But Saves His Leg.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va.—A man named Northrop spent sixteen weeks in the best hospital in Norfolk for a special treatment of rheumatism. The doctors said he was bound to lose his right leg. He would not let them cut it off, so they sent him home. He took Ath-lo-pho-ros and found a permanent cure, so now he keeps Ath-lo-pho-ros in the house all the time and is never tired of singing its praise.

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WITH THE SAGES.

Where the sun does not enter the doctor must go.—Italian Proverbs.

A day for toil, an hour for sport, but for a friend, a life is too short.—Emerson.

If men are so wicked with religion, what would they be without it.—Franklin.

Most men employ the first part of their lives to make the last part miserable.—La Bruyere.

He that cannot forgive others, breaks the bridge over which he must pass himself.—Herbert.

The best perfection of a religious man is to do common things in a perfect manner.—Bonaventura.

As "unkindness has no remedy at law," lets its avoidance be with you a point of honor.—Hosea Ballou.

I would give nothing for that man's religion, whose very dog and cat are not the better for it.—Rowland Hill.

The call to religion is not a call to be better than your fellows, but to be better than yourself.—H. W. Beecher.

Unless we place our religion and our treasure in the same thing, religion will always be sacrificed.—Epictetus.

The hands of the young are active in deeds, but the judgment of the old is superior. For time gives a variety of lessons.—Cicero.

Vanity is as ill at ease under indifference as tenderness is under a love which it cannot return.—George Eliot, "Daniel Deronda."

Nothing exposes religion more to the reproach of its enemies than the worldliness and hard-heartedness of its professors.—M. Henry.

LA GRIPPE coughs often continue for months and sometimes lead to fatal results after the patient is supposed to have passed the danger point. Foley's Honey and Tar affords positive protection and security from these COUGHS.

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AFTERTHOUGHTS.

It is unadvisable to waste much time in trying to get election promises cashed.

If the best of our friends knew all they thought about one another, very few of them would be on speaking terms.

It isn't every man that can discuss a young baby so judiciously as to inspire in its mother a good opinion of him.

You can generally tell how much a woman admires her personal appearance by the number of photographs she has taken.

We expect much of ourselves in anticipation, but we are not hard to please in realization.—Chicago Journal.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Deer Killed in Vermont.

There were 111 deer killed in Vermont during the open season, which ended Nov. 1. Last year ninety were reported killed in the brief ten days' season allowed, and in 1898, when the open season extended throughout October, 130 were killed.

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We are authorized to announce the name of H. H. ROUSE, of Bath township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. MANGES, of Richland township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. J. BARR, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of M. SUMMERS, JR., of Marion township as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of JACOB KISSEL, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. STATES, of Monroe township, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

INFIRMARY DIRECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. L. BECHTOL, of German township as a candidate for Infirmary Director of Allen County subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of CHARLES BOELE, of Richland township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county, at the primary election.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

We are authorized to announce the name of DAVID STEPLETON, of Shawnee township, as a candidate for Commissioner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of ALBERT HEFNER, of Perry township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

CORONOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. T. M. JOHNSTON, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coronor of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. ANDREW BICE, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coronor of Allen county subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

How much influence is represented by the directory of the Federal party in the Philippines it is clearly impossible for anybody here to know. The address which has been sent to congress is evidently intended to back up the recent recommendation of the Taft commission and it is a fair assumption that it was suggested by the commissioners themselves. Their desire is that congress shall authorize the president to authorize them to organize a civil government in Philippines, and this address is supposed to be an indorsement of the plan from the Filipino point of view. Its value depends upon what weight the signers of it carry, and of this we are not informed.

As far as it goes it is a hopeful indication, since it shows that there are at least some Filipinos who are not irreconcilable to American sovereignty. Whether these are merely the gentlemen who are willing to accept office under the United States, or whether it is true, as they say, that they represent "many Filipinos of hitherto irreconcilable ideas," they are unquestionably right in urging that a civil government would have a more pacifying influence than the present military rule. If the authority of the United States is ever to be respected and peacefully accepted, it must be offered in a spirit of liberty, not of tyranny.

The puzzling thing about the whole situation, as officially described, is why so many soldiers should be needed when the country is so nearly pacified. The president wants authority to set up a civil government, yet he has so little confidence in his own plan that we have had to provide him a fresh army of one hundred thousand men on purpose to defend the proposed government and enforce its authority. This is not only puzzling but discouraging.

There is, in truth, an appearance of insincerity about this whole business. Until the army bill was passed, we were told nothing about the Philippines except that military operations were still in progress and that it would be necessary to maintain a large force there for a considerable time. The very day that the final passage of the army bill is assured comes this recommendation for a civil government, at the president's discretion, accompanied by official dispatches to be shown to "the proper senators and representatives," and followed by native petitions and other evidences of preconcerted purpose.

The president believes in having two strings to his bow. He is exercising unlimited authority as commander-in-chief of the army. He desires also unlimited authority as an extra-constitutional ruler. Thus he will be able to give the Filipinos any kind of government, military or civil or a little of each, that his imperial wisdom may determine. What becomes of the constitution of the United States in the meanwhile is not giving him much concern.

If there remain in Luzon so few organized insurgent forces as the reports represent, it seems strange that some part of the United States army cannot come up with Aguinaldo. No doubt he is hiding in the mountains and cannot easily be reached; but there evidently is constant communication between him and his friends in Manila and at other points and it certainly would be worth while to send an expedition in search of him.

It is acknowledged on all sides that Aguinaldo is the directing head if not also the main source of inspiration of the Filipino cause. If a peaceful policy is desired, it would be important to treat with him; if the native opposition is to be suppressed, his capture is of the first necessity. Yet opportunities to take him have been neglected, and of late there has been no evidence of any serious effort to get in touch with him.

This is one of the many puzzling things about the Philippine situation that ought to be explained, if it is capable of explanation.

Turf Winners.

At San Francisco—Alzura, Favonius, Handicapper, Charles Lebel, Castake, Good Hope.

At New Orleans—Scorpolette, Reges, Grey Forge, Hood's Brigade, Harry Duke, Rushfields.

THE MEAT OF IT.

Interesting News Notes From All Quarters of the Globe.

Steamer Berkshire ran aground near Newcastle, Del.

Tin can combine being formed with $50,000,000 capital.

Mrs. Hattie Moyer drowned herself near Georgetown, O. Ill health.

Keg of dynamite exploded in a mine at Pittston, Pa., fatally injuring two workmen.

Oldest man in the world found in Moscow, Russia. He is Izal Rodofsty, nearly 136.

Admiral Schley to be relieved from command of the South Atlantic squadron in the spring.

Dolphin paint works burned and adjoining buildings damaged by fire at Toledo. Total loss $95,000.

Tom Childs and Miguel Lasada fought a duel near Phoenix, Ariz. Latter killed. Loved the same girl.

Palatial residence with valuable furnishings consumed by fire at Georgetown, Ky. Property of Judge James Cantrill. Loss, $50,000.

A Reading passenger train ran into the rear end of a coal train near Port Clinton, Pa. Brakeman Fornwald killed and two others injured.

ENGINEER

Frank Miller is Again on Duty.

Has Resumed His Place in the L. E. & W. Service.

His Bride is at Present at the Home of Her Father, Ex-Conductor Dolan, in Tipton—They May Reside There.

Engineer Frank Miller, of the L. E. & W., who on last Monday married Miss Mayme Dolan, at Anderson, Ind., has resumed his duties in the service of the road and has already made one round trip between this city and Tipton. This morning he received the expressions of best wishes from his friends among the railroad men of the south side and passed out good cigars in return. He has but little to say concerning his romantic elopement with the young lady who was the promised bride of another and when questioned concerning the affair he simply laughs good naturedly and declines to make any statements concerning the wedding.

Mrs. Miller is, at present, at the home of her father, ex-passenger conductor James Dolan, at Tipton, and it is probable that the young couple will make their home in that city.

SCROFULA THE CAUSE.

Eczema, catarrh, hip diseases, white swelling, and even consumption have their organs in scrofulous conditions. With the slightest taint of scrofula in the blood, there is no safety. The remedy for this disease in all its forms is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which goes to the root of the trouble and expells all impurities and disease germs from the blood.

The best family cathartic is Hood's Pills. 6

A great sale in dressing sacques at less than cost at Mrs. F. Light's.

It's folly to suffer from that horrible plague of the night, itching piles. Doan's Ointment cures, quickly and permanently. At any drug store, 50 cents.

AMUSEMENTS.

Clay Clement, in the "New Dominion," will be the attraction at the opera house tonight. In the character of the German Baron Von. Hohenstauffen, Mr. Clement is a revelation. Though he wrote the play himself and for himself, he has not made the character at all obtrusive. It is natural, magnetic and forceful.

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"Two Married Men" will be seen here Saturday, matinee and night. The lines of the play are bright and witty, the characters well drawn, and the plot abounds in the humorous and ludicrous situations that keep an audience in a continuous roar of laughter from the rise of the curtain to the end of the play.

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Commencing next Monday night Heek's Metropolitan Players come for a week, at popular prices, 10, 20 and 30c. Sale of seats opens Saturday morning. Two ladies will be admitted on one paid 30c ticket on opening night.

SPECIAL EXCURSION

At low rates to Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, February 19th, via C. H. & D. railway. For further information, see ticket agent C. H. & D.

Theater Burned.

Kansas City, Feb. 1.—Fire destroyed the Coates opera house, the principal theater of Kansas City, and occupying a detached building. Walker Whiteside and his company, playing "Heart and Sword," had just concluded the evening performance when some of the actors discovered that the building was on fire, the flames enveloping the whole rear part of the theater in a few moments. The company lost their wardrobes and scenery, being obliged to flee from their dressing rooms. The firemen were powerless to check the flames. No one was injured. The building was valued at between $125,000 and $150,000.

Mrs. Nation Coming.

Muncie, Ind., Feb. 1.—Mrs. A. B. Cusick, a relative of Mrs. Carrie Nation, the Kansas saloon demolisher, reports that Mrs. Nation intends visiting Muncie in the very near future. Mrs. Cusick, who does not exactly approve of the manner of reforming saloonists followed by her relative, intimates that Mrs. Nation will stand aghast at the numerous saloons in this city, and she expects that the wrecker will make a demonstration here against the liquor dealers.

NEWS

Of the City Across the River.

A Social Event

Held at the Home of Mr. and Mrs Strohl.

One Former Limaite is Now a Gardner in the Alaskan Gold Field.

And Another Has Been Promoted to a Lieutenant in the Artillery Service in the Philippines.

Last night at six o'clock, at the home of Rev. W. H. Leatherman, pastor of Grace M. E. church, united in wedlock Miss Bertha W. Steinger and Mr. John M. Miller. The ceremony was unostentatious, being officiated at by Rev. Leatherman, a special friend of the bride, and witnessed only by a few of the contracting parties' most intimate friends. After the nuptials the bridal party repaired to the home of Frs. Tremain, sister of the bride, who had prepared a delicious wedding feast. The happy bride is one of West Cairo's estimable young ladies; while the groom is a popular and prosperous young farmer residing north of Lima, where the congratulations and best wishes of many friends will follow them to their new home.

Mrs. Anna Crosby, of Van Wert, a venerable friend of Mrs. Rev. W. H. Leatherman, of south Elizabeth street, is a guest at their home for several days.

Leonard Diger, of 583 east Elm street, is suffering from an abcess under his left arm.

Rev. Ballinger, of east Elm street, is convalescing from an attack of la grip.

I. J. Robinson left this morning for St. Marys, where he will remain several days, spending the time pleasantly visiting friends.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Murphy, of Holmes avenue, is seriously ill.

Mrs. J. W. Huffman, has returned from Bryant, Ind., called there by the critical illness of her aged father. He is much improved, Monday being able to participate in the celebration of his sixty-seventh birthday anniversary.

Friends to about the number of twenty-five gathered at the home of Mrs. J. R. Pattion, of Vine street, to assist her in properly observing her thirty-second birthday anniversary Thursday evening. The recipient of this special attention was equal to the occasion, making all feel a hearty welcome, while partaking of her hospitality, and regret, when the hour of retirement arrived.

C. A. Cavin, of Forest, returned home today, having spent a few days in this locality and vicinity.

William Zender and family, of Van Wert, are enjoying a visit at the home of J. H. Garvin and wife, on Second street.

Paul Fleming left for Detroit today, where he will remain several weeks.

F. S. Manger has gone to Crestline to accept a position on the road.

Thomas Martin, of Galion, is calling upon south side friends.

Miss Edna Brewster went to Chicago last night to be in the care of an eye specialist for awhile.

Friends of Mrs. Clark Call, will be pleased to learn she was greatly improved by the recent operation at Cincinnati, and will probably be home in about two weeks.

This afternoon there was held at the Grace M. E. church, a meeting for women; of a nature novel, interesting and helpful, in many ways. Miss Juliette Wilcox, a deaconess from Chicago, but, who for some time past, has been attending conference assignments, delivered a lecture of rare beauty and sweet eloquence. She is making a thorough canvass of the south side, where in many homes she has by her consecration to what she deems her duty, and a simple spirituality, made many favorable impressions, and greatly assisted Rev. Leatherman in his arduous tasks during the present revival.

Preperations are being made by the South Lima schools for a patriotic observation of Washington's birthday. Interesting instructive and appropriate programs are being rehersed; literary efforts of unusual nature will be made.

Immediately after the evening's services at the South Lima Methodist church tonight, choir practice will be had.

57 Public Square. | G. E. BLUEM. | 57 Public Square.

A Public Benefit

Is what this STOCK REDUCING SALE could well be called. We never buy trash; as a consequence never have trash to sell, but the time comes when odd lots—a piece here and there, a few of this or that, must go to make room for the next season's goods. Such a time has come—such lots are here—They are yours for the choosing at ridiculously low prices.

$1.00 Domet Flannel Waists for 50c.
$5.00 Duchess satin black Waists for $2.50.
$5.00 Taffeta silk Waists, colors, for $2.50.
$5.00 Taffeta silk Waists, black, for $2.50.
$5.00 French Flannel Waists for $3.75.
$7.75 Duchess satin Waists, black, $3.38.
$5.00 Rainy Day Skirts, $3.50.
$18.50 Marten and Electric Collarettes, $10.00.
$18.50 Electric Seal Collarette, marten edge, $10.00.
$25.00 Lynx Scarf, Dresden dye, $18.00.

And Ladies' and Misses' Tailor-made Suits.

Our kind of suits, with the silk stitched, wear resisting button holes, the shrunken interlining and stiffening; the "just right" turn of the collar, the fit, the set of the skirt, the indescribable something about them that stamps them TAILOR-MADE.

$17.50 grey homespun cloth suit, six button diagonal front jacket, $8.75.
$18.00 black venitian cloth suit, eton jacket with flaring collar, $9.00.
$18.00 tan venitian cloth suit, fly front jacket, $9.00.
$20.00 misses suit of grey homespun, double breasted jacket, $10.00.
Many cloth suits at enticing prices, not all prices so low, but any of them well worth our price.

G. E. BLUEM,

Elevator Third Floor.

The Dry Goods. Dress Goods. Suit House.

Rev. A. Fawsett, whos meeting last night, is considered one of the very best of the revival, will conduct services again this evening at Grace church.

Miss Ethel Levina, is still confined to her south Elizabeth street home by severe illness.

Numerous sleighing parties to various points were enjoyed last night all having their full share of pleasure.

The Machine social club took a merry bob ride to Cridersville yesterday evening, returning late this morning, entirely pleased with the trip, and its incident pleasures; including the hospitality at the Haines home in Cridersville.

Ruth Crane, of Hughes street, entertained a party of little friends from 4 to 7 Thursday evening. The happiness of the little folk was looked after and they departed feeling their companion's ninth birthday party had been duly celebrated.

An insolvent tramp called at the home of Mrs. S. B. Darver, this morning demanding food. Being refused he became boistrous, and would have been ejected from the premises, had he not vacated just in time.

William Stapleford, of McPheron avenue, who had his arm fractured recently, is getting along as well as could be expected, considering the nature of the injury. Mrs. Stapleford is now quite ill with la grip.

R. McGriff, of south Main street, who has been so alarmingly ill the past few days, is slightly improved today, though unable to be up for a very great length at any time.

Frank Noth, of Holly street, is suffering from pneumonia being quite ill at present.

Dr. Mell, the south Main street druggist, is still wrestling with la grip. He has contracted a new cold and is now worse again.

Playing at her home on Harrison avenue, last night, Grace Hollinger, brought a veil she was using in contact with a lamp, igniting the material, which burned her hands painfully before it could be extinguished.

Thursday evening Mrs. G. E. Strohl, of west Kibby street, graciously presided at a social function of a most pleasing nature. The occasion envolved a progressive pedro party, at which about twenty of her lady friends were appropriately entertained. The charming hostess creditably acquitted herself, being the recipient of numerous congratulations, upon the success of the event enjoyed immensely.

Clare Trumble, who worked in South Lima about three years ago, is now in the Philippines, where he has been doing service in the artillery, having for his good conduct been recently appointed a lieutenant. In a recent letter he expresses himself well pleased with his surroundings. Clare has traveled extensively as a shipmate, having visited many foreign countries in the past several years; his location in the distant Orient, is not of exceeding marvel to him, though he finds much to interest him.

John L. Gage, well known to South Side residents, who will remember his going to the Klondyke two years ago, is now at Dawson City; engaged in hot bed gardening, which yields a lucrative financial return. He never engaged in mining enterprise, yet, from his various vocations, obtains a very satisfactory income.

A CAUSE OF HEADACHE.

One Very Common Cause, Generally Overlooked.

Headache is a symptom, an indication of derangement or disease in some organ, and the cause of the headache is difficult to locate because so many diseases have headache as a prominent symptom; derangement of the stomach and liver, heart trouble kidney disease, lung trouble, eye strain or ill fitting glasses all produce headaches and if we could always locate the organ which is at fault the cure of obstinate headaches would be a much simpler matter.

However, for that form of headache called frontal headache, pain back of the eyes and in forehead, the cause is now known to be catarrh of the head and throat; when the headache is located in the back of the head and neck it is often caused from catarrh of the stomach or liver.

At any rate catarrh is the most common cause of such headaches and the cure of the catarrh causes a prompt disappearance of the headaches.

There is at present no treatment for catarrh so convenient and affective as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, a new internal remedy in tablet form, composed of antiseptics like Eucalyptol, Guaiacol and Blood Root which act upon the blood and cause the elimination of the catarrhal poison from the system through the natural channels.

Miss Cora Ainsley, a prominent school teacher in one of our normal schools, speaks of her experience with catarrhal headaches and eulogizes Stuart's Catarrh Tablets as a cure for them. She says: "I suffered daily from severe frontal headache and pain in and back of the eyes, at times so intensely as to incapacitate me in my daily duties. I had suffered from catarrh, more or less for years, but never thought it was the cause of my headaches, but finally became convinced that such was the case because the headaches were always worse whenever I had a cold or fresh attack of catarrh.

"Stuart's Catarrh Tablets were highly recommended to me as a safe and pleasant catarrh cure and after using a few fifty cent boxes which I procured from my druggistts, I was surprised and delighted to find that both the catarrh and headaches had gone for good."

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold by druggists at fifty cents per package, under the guarantee of the proprietors that they contain absolutely no cocaine (found in so many catarrh cures) no opium (so common in cheap cough cures) nor any harmful drug. They contain simply the wholesome antiseptics necessary to destroy and drive from the system the germs of catarrhal disease.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO NARROW NORTH METCALF STREET.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the City Council of Lima, Ohio, for the narrowing of north Metcalf street, from McKibben street to the north line of outlot number 59, by vacating a strip about 12 or 15 feet wide off of the east side of said street between said points.

Said petition will be for hearing and final action by the City Council after six weeks publication of this notice.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.
Lima, O., Jan. 25, 1901. fr&sat-6w

DECLINES

To Accept the Conditions Laid Down.

Lima Will Not be Connected with League Ball But Will Have a Good Team at Home.

Lima will not have a team in the interstate league the coming season. Such is the decision arrived at by Manager Starge Sealts, who has received a letter stating what would be necessary for Lima to do in order to get into fast company. The sale of one thousand season tickets would be the first step necessary and such a task is not relished by Mr. Sealts, who sees the impossibility of such an undertaking.

There were other suggestions as to the organization and future management of the team that were discouraging and in the light of all the facts made known the proposition has been declined with thanks.

Lima will hoe its own row as an independent organization unless there should be the promise of a circuit which would include some of the near-by cities; but that scheme is, so far, mere speculation. The home team will be reorganized, the best talent available secured, and the fans will have base ball at home which cannot be discounted.

The best protection against fevers, pneumonia, diphtheria, etc., is in building up the system with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

George S. Mills
Architect
Toledo and Lima

Charles W. Dawson
Representative
305 Masonic Temple, Lima

Protection at Home.

What is the use to send your money out of Lima for protection, when there is a Fraternal Benevolent Institution in your midst that will award you benefits in case of sickness or accident, and will award you benefits while living and also provides for a funeral benefit.

Call at 302 south West st., Lima, O., and investigate for yourself.

Faurot Opera House.

Saturday, Feb 2.
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Two Married Men

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Special Scenery. Novel Specialties. Sparkling Wit. Pretty Girls.
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PAPERS

Coul n't be Found When Case Was Called.

An Interruption Was Caused in Common Pleas

When Judge Armstrong Opened Court This Morning. Delphos Boy Arrested for a Theft.

The wheels of justice were clogged this morning after everything was in readiness to take up the case of J. C. Smith vs. Israel Disman. The petit jury was on hand, the parties to the suit present with their respective attorneys, and Judge Armstrong had ordered the bailiff to open court, when it was suddenly discovered that the papers in the case were missing. All effort to locate them was finally abandoned and there was nothing left for the court to do but dismiss the jury for the day and mark the case continued.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT.

The jury returned a verdict yesterday evening in the case of Henry Goodkind vs. Susan Finch, and gave the defendant a judgment for $366 on a counter claim for damages. The plaintiff sued on a note, the value of which was $585, given in payment as part settlement when the two dissolved partnership in the oil business. The defendant set up a counter claim of damages, and offered evidence to prove that the wells had been abandoned after being improperly plugged, and that damages to the extent of $1,000 had been incurred by fresh water flowing into them.

SEMS MORE REFORMING.

Edward Gantt, a 16 year-old lad of Delphos, who has served a term at the reform school, was brought here yesterday evening by the marshall of Delphos, having been bound over to the probate court in the sum of $100 for having stolen $20 from his foster parents. Gantt divided the money with a companion and each used $5 of it to buy a watch and chain. Part of the money was recovered, and the boy will no doubt go back to Lancaster to take another course of treatment.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John Miller, aged 22, a farmer, and Bertha M. Steiger, aged 21, both of Monroe township.

Wm. Vogt, aged 24, of Hardin county and Jessie Hubbel, aged 25, of Harrod.

Burdett LaRue, aged 24, a lineman, of Alger, and Sarah E. Culp, aged 17, of Elida.

Carl Zimmerman, aged 29, moulder, and Louisa Seigenthaler, aged 39, both of Lima.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Coss & Steinbaugh to John B. Sawmiller, 46 acres in German township, $2,000.

G. W. Bowsher to Daniel A. Bowsher, 6 acres in Shawnee township, $375.

Hand-made Wax Candles for church use, at Watson's. 8-1w

EXCELLENT

Lecture Delivered by Dr. Peschau at St. Paul's Church.

The Luther League of St. Paul's church and their friends are to be congratulated on hearing an excellent lecture last evening on the subject of "Sunny South Sketches," by Dr. Peschau, of Miamisburg, O.

By the use of maps and charts the speaker showed the various areas, population (white and colored) and products of the different southern states, and with numerous specimens, i. e. magnolia leaves, hanging moss, cotton pods, etc., he greatly enlivened the interest in the lecture.

He also frequently stirred the audience to outbursts of laughter by giving many of the anecdotes, quaint sayings and character sketches of the colored people. All who heard him expressed themselves as well pleased.

Dressed Turkeys, Ducks and Chickens at Townsend's.

Ladies jackets and capes at less than manufacturer's cost at Mrs. F. Light's.

Hand-made Wax Candles for church use, at Watson's. 8-1w

PRESS

Agent of the Company Getting in His Work.

Twentieth Century Stock Company Organized Here Puts Up a Great Ad.

The Times-Democrat published last night an account of the organization and departure from this city of a dramatic company, their first stand being at Celina last night. According to the first press notice of the approaching galaxy of Lima stars, the actors have advanced far enough in the profession to attach themselves to stage names. The press agent has worked the editor of the Spencerville Journal for the following flattering announcement:

The Twentieth Century Stock Co. will open a three nights' engagement in Spencerville, commencing Monday, February 4, 5, and 6. They come to us highly recommended by press and public as one of the best companies on the road playing at popular prices. They will open their engagement here with the soul-stirring comedy drama, picturing life on the coast of Maine, in four acts, entitled "Down East." On Tuesday night "The Adventuress," with Miss Violet Hall in the title role. On Wednesday night "A Wife's Secret." Among the specialty artists which will appear between acts are Miss Vida Paugh, J. J. Ryan, Billy Baker, John Dollar and Master Bertie Rickman in the latest coon songs. No long waits between acts.

We will close out our dressing sacques, jackets and capes for less than cost. Now is your greatest opportunity to get a garment for almost nothing at Mrs. F. Lights.

THE IDLER.

St. Marys Argus:—Charles Grimsley, manager of the Vogel & Deming minstrels, which were at the Grand last Monday evening, caused a warrant to be issued for the arrest of W. I. Grooms, a member of the company, charging him with stealing $60. The warrant was issued by 'Squire Bullock and placed in the hands of Marshall Miller for service. Grooms confessed that he had taken the money and pleaded for mercy at the hands of his employer. He returned $45 of the stolen cash and paid the costs, when Mr. Grimsley withdrew the charge and allowed the fellow to go, dismissing him from the company.

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Four or five young men from Lima visited Wapakoneta Monday evening, says the Auglaize Democrat, for the purpose of seeing the town under the glimmering electric lights and having a general good time. One of them said he was a reporter for one of the Lima dailies, and took the lead in their perambulations about town. After dropping into several saloons and bowling up on the excellent beer found on sale, the boys visited the fort across the river and spent a short time in social enjoyment with the company found there. They all left in excellent spirits with the exception of the alleged reporter, who had fallen asleep and was unaware of the departure of his comrades. When he finally awoke he did not stand upon the order of his going, but started immediately for the south side. Unfortunately he did not look for the bridge, but attempted to cross over on the ice, and this proved his undoing. The ice was thin and rotten, and before he had made many steps the young man was precipitated into the cold water. Luckily the river is not deep at this point, and after floundering around and getting his bearings, he waded to the opposite shore. He was assisted up the bank and into a friendly house, where his clothes were removed and he was provided with a dry suit of underclothing. He was badly chilled for a while, but finally came around all right and said he did not think any serious results would follow his cold bath.

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The Murphy property at 114 east Wayne street, has been purchased by the Bessemer Gas Engine Co. and in the near future a building, suitable and adequate for the company's rapidly increasing business will be erected on the property. John Carruthers, of Grove City, Pa., president of the company, is now here to arrange for the construction of the building.

WHAT TOWNSEND HAS.

Turkeys, Ducks, Chickens, Oysters, Fish, Veal, Choice Beef, Lamb, Back Bones, Tenderloins, Radishes, Celery, Lettuce,

A TOKEN

Of Esteem From Members of Sappho

Presented to Mrs. W. L. Porter Yesterday.

A Charming Program Rendered at the Meeting—Other Pleasant Events Were Enjoyed by Society People.

The Sappho club were the guests of Mrs. Deakin, of north Pierce street yesterday afternoon. The guest list included Mesdames R. D. Kahle, E. B. Mitchell, W. H. Orr, F. Metheany, D. R. Reynolds, W. T. White, R. O. Ramseyer, James Heistand, W. H. Standish, J. O. Ohler, — Woodsworth, and Wm. Annat, of Wooster, and Misses Thomas and Warner and Miss Pearl Middleton, of Kokomo, Ind. A pleasing feature of the afternoon was a speech by Mrs. A. T. McDonell, when she presented Mrs. W. L. Porter, two marble busts of Wagner and Mozart, as a token of the love and esteem of the Sappho club, who are sorry to have her leave our city. Then followed a program of Rhapsody, Fantasia, Romance and ballad.

Piano duet—Hungarian Meter-mezzo, wedding festival, Scharwenka
Mesdames Mackenzie and Moulton.
Song—Constancy ..... Rhinehart
Mrs. Collins.
Piano—Ballade ..... Leybach
Mrs. Wheeler.
Paper—Value of Words in Song....
Mrs. Thomson.
Song—Madrigal .....
Mrs. Baxter.
Piano—Sonata ..... Bethoven
Mrs. Davis.
Reading—The Dolls .....
Mrs. Lufkin.
Song—Beauty's Eyes..... Tosti
Mrs. Cooney.
Song—Lenore ..... H. Trotere
Mrs. Sealts
Piano—Improvisation Airs in Faust
Mrs. Johnston.
Duett—Love..... C. Moderati
Mesdames Wells and Black.

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The Q. R. S. circle met with Mrs. Joseph Smith, of south Pine street, yesterday afternoon. An amusing contest at searching for hidden things on a penny gave prizes to Mrs. Swanders and Mrs. Lewis and with a dainty tea made a pleasant afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Van Note, of west Market street, entertained a number of friends at cards on Wednesday evening.

The following cunning little invitations were accepted by twenty-five girls:

You are invited to join our sleigh-ride party Thursday evening at 3:30.
Nellie Stump and Aline Fenner.

And during the ride all enjoyed the lunch put up in convenient little packages.

The N. M. W. Euchre club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. R. W. Peck, of east McKibben street. The highest number of points at cards were made by Mrs. W. A. Patton and Mrs. J. Rees, who secured a pretty piece of china and a dainty picture. The guests were Mrs. Van Horn and Misses Dunham and Gottschalk.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Longsworth were again the host and hostess for a merry party of sleigh riders on Wednesday evening.

This afternoon Mrs. James Heistand will entertain a number of neighboring ladies in honor of Mrs. Slifer, who soon leaves for her new home in Indiana.

Myrtle Raymond, Jessis and Marie Cook gave pleasure to twenty of their young friends on Wednesday by taking them out sleighing from four to five o'clock in the afternoon then all enjoyed games and refreshments at the home of their entertainers on north Union street.

Miss Kathryn O'Day will entertain the Lima Musical club tomorrow afternoon at one-thirty.

Miss Pearl Middleton, of Kokomo, Ind., is visiting her aunt Mrs. W. H. Orr, of west North street.

Mrs. George Hall spent yesterday in Van Wert, where she assisted in organizing a Wimodaughsis circle similar to the one in our city.

The Central Pedro club were Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Oxley's guests on Wednesday evening, Mr. John Finley winning the high score with a pair of handsome gloves for a prize. Mrs. Walter Cooney also held high scores securing a pretty china dish.

Mrs. N. W. Cunningham, of Bluffton, is the guest of Lima friends for two days.

Miss Young, of Bronville, Mo., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holland, of west Wayne stree, left today for St. Louis enroute to her home.

Mrs. G. M. McCullough, of east North street, entertained the Spinit club yesterday afternoon. Gathered about twelve tables were the club members and guests forty-eight in all and an animated game of pedro resulted in a tie of high scores by Mrs. W. H. Woolery and Mrs. H. Cameron, the former winning the trophy, a silver cream dip with Spinit engraved on the handle. Mrs. Walter Brown was the winner of the second prize, a pretty piece of drawn work.

Mrs. W. D. Carpenter, of north Pierce street, gave a charming little party Wednesday afternoon. Six tables were filled with lovers of progressive pedro. The ladies winning the greatest number of points were Mrs. J. H. Upp and Mrs. Henry Seabers, the former receiving a beautiful picture and the latter a dainty olive dish. An elaborate high tea was served at the card tables immediately after the game.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss McCullough, of Lima, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fitzgerald.—St. Marys Graphic.

Dr. A. H. Huntley has gone to New York City to take a post graduate course in medicine. He will be absent until the first of April.

Miss Lillian Armstrong was the guest of friends at St. Marys this week.

Ed. Maxwell, the well known musician and theatrical man, who has been with and in advance of Walter S. Baldwin for two or three years, is spending a vacation here, accompanied by Mrs. Maxwell.

H. C. Setlage, of Wapakoneta, was in the city last evening.

Dr. Hunter, of Wapakoneta, was in this city last night on business.

Mr. Jno. D. Foye today received a telegram, announcing the death of his brother W. B. Foye, formerly engaged in the drug business in this city but now a resident of Marion. Mr. Jno. Foye went over to Marion this afternoon to attend the funeral and will be gone several days.

Mrs. George Hall was the guest yesterday of Mrs. H. C. Glenn, at Van Wert.

Mr. Elmer Ferkel is seriously ill at the home of his father, 131 east North street, with la grippe.

W. R. Mehaffey came in from Joplin, Mo., this morning, for a brief visit with his family.

Attorney J. J. Weadock was in Wapakoneta last night on legal business.

Anthony Lyons, Jr., is very low with lung trouble at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lyons, of north West street.

J. S. Cowan, of west Wayne street, went to Delphos this morning.

John Dimond and son Lou, and daughter, Miss Mary, of north Main street, were called to New Lexington, O., this morning by the death of Mr. Dimond's brother-in-law, Joseph V. Ward, a leading business man of that place.

Mrs. Timothy Cunningham, corner Metcalf and Elida road, is very low, suffering from lung trouble.

J. J. Kennington, of Bellefontaine avenue, who has been so seriously ill for the past week, suffering from pneumonia, is still in a precarious condition.

Dr. J. H. Huntley left this morning for New York City.

M. J. Cahill went to Delphos this morning.

The following persons made up a jolly sleighing party that drove to the home of D. S. Early, north of the city, last night, and enjoyed an oyster supper: Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Chown and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blosser, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. VanHorn, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hauenstein, Elmer Webb, Miss Mary Ballinger, Miss Lizzie Ross, Oscar Pease, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Manbard, Miss Keyer, Mr. Armstrong, Mr. Neff and sisters.

Mrs. H. A. Pool, of north Park avenue, is laid up with an attack of grip.

Miss Maude Tabler, of west Elm street, is confined to her home with la grippe.

GOOD WORK

Continues at South Side Church of Christ.

Last night's service in the south side church of Christ revival was one of the best since the eminently successful meetings began. Additions last evening making the number between one hundred and forty and fifty. Don't miss the special music at these services. Rev. C. S. Cushman, of Trumbull county was present at the meeting. Song service at 7:15 and preaching at 7:30 p. m.

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FOR RENT—A boarding house on east Wayne street. The house is in good condition. References required. Apply at T. P. Kevill's grocery, 201 east Wayne street. 7tf

MANAGER—Energetic man to manage branch. Old established house. No soliciting; office duties wholly. Salary $125 month and extra commissions. Yearly engagement; chance rapid advancement for man of ability. Experience not necessary. Must furnish good references and $800 cash. Manager, Drawer 74, New Haven, Ct. jan 26-1m

WANTED—A first class machinist; one familiar with drilling tools. A good place for a sober, trustworthy man. No hoboes wanted. Campbell & Davis, Alexandria, Ind. 9-1w

FOR SALE—Fine oak side board and dining table. Inquire at 564 west Market street. 90-1w

WANTED—Fresh milch cow; must be young. Apply room 4, City Bank building. 92-3t*

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Prepare now for busy season. Only two months required. Present graduates with complete outfit of tools and pay $12 weekly when competent. Constant practice, expert instructions. Catalogue and particulars mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ills. 94-6t

WANTED—Young lady has $15,000 in own name; nice looking, very musical, affectionate, practical, wants good, kind husband; money no object. Address "Roselle" box 675, Chicago. 94-5t

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33 1-3 PER CENT.

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That's the kind we make on our choice groceries by making prices that keeps new trade constantly coming our way. We know that our customers talk of the fair treatment they get at our store. A 25 cent sale:

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MONSTER PHONOGRAPH.

A Shouting One That Can Be Heard for Ten Miles.

The latest monster phonograph is the one at Brighton, England, that shouts so loudly every word can be heard at a distance of ten miles away. You can whisper a sentence into the machine's small, funnel-shaped mouthpiece, and it will repeat it in tones that are more deafening than the shrieks of a liner's steam siren. Yet every word is perfectly articulated, and a shorthand written 10 miles away can take down the message as easily as if you were dictating to him in a small room. The machine is the invention of Horace L. Short of Brighton. In appearance it is merely an ordinary phonograph, with a large trumpet, measuring four feet in length. Inside this trumpet there is a small and delicate piece of mechanism that looks something like a whistle. This is the tongue of the machine. Instead of the "records" being taken on wax in the usual manner, a sapphire needle is made to cut the dots representing the sound vibrations on a silver cylinder, and when the ne[illegible] travels over the metal a second t[illegible] the vibrations cause the whistle t[illegible] produce a series of air waves, and the machine thus becomes a talking siren, which transforms the human voice into a deafening roar. The experiments were made near the Devil's Dyke, Brighton, where the inventor had his workshops. The instrument was placed on the roof of the laboratory and was made to repeat a number of sentences. At a distance of ten miles away the sounds were plainly heard by a large number of people, every word being perfectly distinct, and at a second trial, with a favorable wind, it was found that an unknown message could be taken down in shorthand by persons on a vessel 15 miles out at sea. Placed on a lighthouse or lightship, the phonograph would give a verbal warning that would be infinitely more effective than the foghorns and detonators at present in use. The possibilities of the machine are practically endless. It will render loud selections in the open air and can be listened to by thousands of people, or it will shout news messages that could be heard high above the roar of the traffic and the thousand noises of a big city.—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

A DEEP MYSTERY.

It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melencholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phebe Cherley, of Peterson, Ia., "and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years old, I now am able to do my housework." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50c at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store, cor. Main and North sts.

Pichon Born to Luck.

In Pekin the French ambassador is M. Pichon. He originally studied medicine, but was plucked when he went up for the degree examination, lost heart, strayed into politics, took up foreign affairs as a leader writer in the Justice, and a questioner of ministers in the chamber. Had he passed for his medical degree he would probably now be a country doctor, and his chief cause for uneasiness the youthful pranks of his son in the Quartier Latin. As he now stands, a tragical and world-wide interest is attached to him. Pichon was born to luck. He is a capital fellow, and not of the stuff of which martyrs are made.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Theater Reform at Pittsburg.

The Pittsburg Church federation has taken up the work of theater reform. A committee on the subject has notified all managers that it will exert its best efforts to prevent the presentation of any notorious or demoralizing play at any Pittsburg theater.

David City, Neb., April 1, 1900.

Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy., N. Y.:

Gentlemen:—I must say in regard to GRAIN-O that there is nothing better or healthier. We have used it for years. My brother was a great coffee drinker. He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it, and told us to use GRAIN-O. We got a package but did not like it at first but now would not be without it. My brother has been well ever since we started to use it. Yours truly, Dillie Sochor.

No Brother or Sister.

Queen Victoria had no full brothers and sister. Through her mother's first marriage with Pince Charles of Leiningin, she had a half-sister, the Princess Fedore, who married Prince Hohenlohe of Langenburg, and a half-brother, Prince Charles of Leiningin, neither of whom is now living.

REDEEMING TRAMPS.

MORE GOOD THAN EVIL IN THE KNIGHTS.

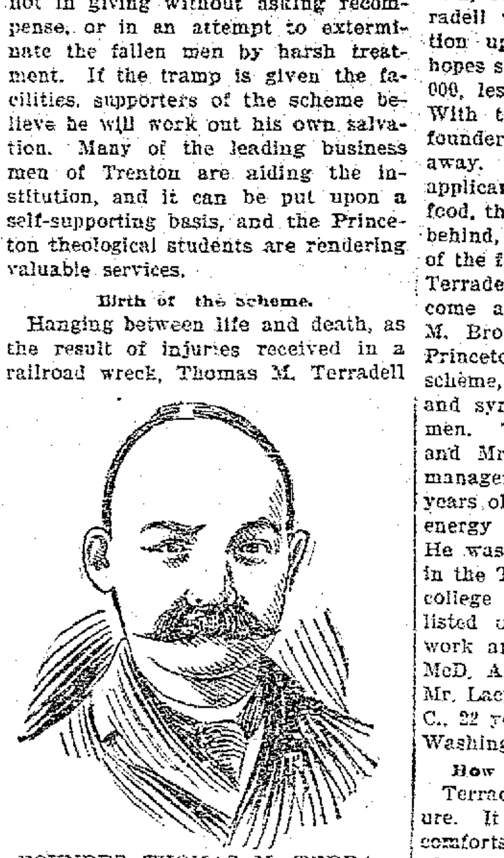
In Trenton, N. J., Is an Institution, Which Promises Success, Where Tramps Redeem Themselves and Become Useful Citizens.

(Special Letter.)

A scheme for the redemption of American tramps is being successfully developed in Trenton, N. J., says the New York Herald of Sunday, Sept. 2. The ultimate success of the plan rests upon optimism. Its supporters believe that in the tramp there is more good than evil. The solution of the tramp problem, they say, is not in giving without asking recompense, or in an attempt to exterminate the fallen men by harsh treatment. If the tramp is given the facilities, supporters of the scheme believe he will work out his own salvation. Many of the leading business men of Trenton are aiding the institution, and it can be put upon a self-supporting basis, and the Princeton theological students are rendering valuable services.

Birth of the Scheme.

Hanging between life and death, as the result of injuries received in a railroad wreck, Thomas M. Terradell



FOUNDER THOMAS M. TERRADELL.

ten years ago lay upon a hospital cot at Trenton. He had been an engine driver on the Pennsylvania railroad. He had been impressed by the pitiable condition of the wanderers who stole rides upon his trains. When fate had decided that he should live, and while slowly recovering his strength, Terradell conceived the scheme for uplifting vagrants. This work he has since seen carried to a successful termination. On account of his injuries, Mr. Terradell, after leaving the hospital, was unable to continue the active life of an engine driver. He became a commission merchant, and in two years had accumulated sufficient money to commence actively the fulfillment of his cherished dreams. With his earnings and money which he borrowed Mr. Terradell was able to complete the present building in 1896. For some time he was undecided as to the name by which the institution should be known. Finally upon the suggestion of a friend he called it

Terradelphia the Tramps' Refuge.

This name represents the founder's sentiment, love for the tramps. It is the only place in America where the tramp is given the opportunity to redeem himself. Here he meets with no humiliation and receives little gratuitous assistance. Upon entering the building the tramp is asked if he is willing to work. According to statistics compiled by Mr. Terradell, only one out of every 200 refuses to work after he has received food. It is found that but few men are willing to receive food and lodging without offering something in return. Terradelphia is a combination of a hotel and manufactory. The articles produced in the creative department are made by tramp labor. They are sold in competition with other goods. From this source it is estimated that when Terradelphia becomes established permanently and has acquired a regular market for its merchandise there will be no need of charity to defray its expenses. At present this stage has not been reached, and much of the revenue now required by B. M. Brown, who has undertaken the management of the work in Trenton, is supplied by private charity.

In exchange for their labor the inmates receive three meals a day and a comfortable couch at night. An effort is made to find permanent employment for them outside of the hotel. If a man is seeking work himself, he is permitted time to continue his search, and if he is deserving in the opinion of the manager he is not turned away from Terradelphia on account of inability to pay the small remuneration desired. Meals are 5, 10 and 15 cents, and lodgings 5, 10, 15 and 20 cents. The weekly rates are $3, $3.50 and $4.

The Labor and Its Products.

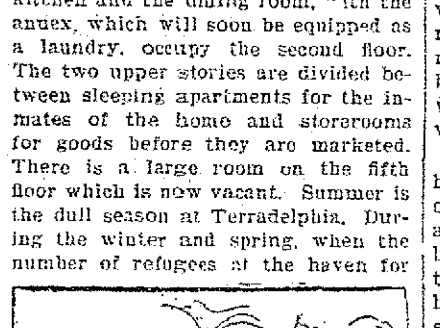
For months it was a trouble to satisfy all the applicants who asked for work. Some were skilled mechanics and many were unskilled laborers. Some had been industrious and many had never known what honest labor meant. As the result of many trials, the managers of the institution have limited their production to such articles as can be manufactured by quasi-skilled labor. The kindling wood department and the broom and brush department are most fully developed. The reseating of chairs and the repairing of shoes have also become sources of considerable revenue. The advisability of establishing a laundry is now being considered, and some of the late applicants at the institution are canvassing the city for laundry orders and are meeting with success. Then it is necessary to sell the goods that are manufactured, and here the skill of commercial talent comes into play. The care of the building demands the attention of many men. Here the unskilled laborer is utilized. To supply the demands of the various tradesmen required much experiment. After the men work for a time and regain their confidence and self-respect they find employment outside with little difficulty. Many who came to the place as tramps now hold good positions in Trenton, New York, Philadelphia and other places.

Failure Before Success.

In 1898, through no fault of his own, other than generosity, Mr. Terradell was forced to see the institution upon which he had based his hopes sold at sheriff's auction for $35,000, less than one-third of its value. With the sale of Terradelphia its founder's fortune was also swept away. In order to supply the many applicants to the institution with food, the interest on the mortgage fell behind, and that was the direct cause of the failure. Just at this time, when Terradelphia seemed certain to become an absolute failure, Benjamin M. Brown, a theological student of Princeton, became interested in the scheme, and soon enlisted the services and sympathies of many prominent men. The property was recovered and Mr. Brown was made general manager of the institution. He is 29 years old, sparely built and has great energy and earnestness of purpose. He was born in Texas and educated in the Texas State university, Oberlin college and Princeton. He has enlisted other Princeton men in the work and his first assistant is John McD. A. Lacy, a theological student. Mr. Lacy was born in Washington, D. C., 22 years ago, and was educated in Washington and Lee university.

How the Tramps Are Controlled.

Terradelphia is a complete structure. It was designed to include the comforts of a home and the features of a factory as well. In the front and for 50 feet back, the building is five stories high. This is the portion that is utilized as a hotel. In the rear of the hotel is the factory. It is built of brick—as is the hotel also—and is four stories high. Brown's apartments, the hotel office and two bathrooms, as well as the broom and kindling wood departments, are on the ground floor. The basement is utilized for storage and for the hoppers, where kindling wood is bound into bundles and stored, after being sawed on the floor above. The reading room, the kitchen and the dining room, with the annex, which will soon be equipped as a laundry, occupy the second floor. The two upper stories are divided between sleeping apartments for the inmates of the home and storerooms for goods before they are marketed. There is a large room on the fifth floor which is now vacant. Summer is the dull season at Terradelphia. During the winter and spring, when the number of refugees at the haven for



TERRADELPHIA, THE TRAMPS' REFUGE.

the unemployed is quintupled, this room is fitted with bunks for the transients.

Rheumatism

Rheumatic pains are the cries of protest and distress from tortured muscles, aching joints and excited nerves. The blood has been poisoned by the accumulation of waste matter in the system, and can no longer supply the pure and health sustaining food they require. The whole system feels the effect of this acid poison; and not until the blood has been purified and brought back to a healthy condition will the aches and pains cease.

Mrs. James Kell, of 707 Ninth street, N. E., Washington, D. C., writes as follows: "A few months ago I had an attack of Sciatic Rheumatism in its worst form. The pain was so intense that I became completely prostrated. The attack was an unusually severe one, and my condition was regarded as being very dangerous. I was attended by one of the most able doctors in Washington, who is also a member of the faculty of a leading medical college here. He told me to continue his prescriptions and I would get well. After having it filled twelve times without receiving the slightest benefit, I declined to continue his treatment any longer. Having heard of S. S. S. (Swift's Specific) recommended for Rheumatism, I decided, almost in despair however, to give the medicine a trial, and after I had taken a few bottles I was able to hobble around on crutches, and very soon thereafter had no use for them at all, S. S. S. having cured me sound and well. All the distressing pains have left me, my appetite has returned, and I am happy to be again restored to perfect health.

SSS the great vegetable purifier and tonic, is the ideal remedy in all rheumatic troubles. There are no opiates or minerals in it to disturb the digestion and lead to ruinous habits.

We have prepared a special book on Rheumatism which every sufferer from this painful disease should read. It is the most complete and interesting book of the kind in existence. It will be sent free to any one desiring it. Write our physicians fully and freely about your case. We make no charge for medical advice.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

A FIDDLING JUDGE.

WHO IS CARRYING ON A UNIQUE CAMPAIGN.

Bakes Dumplings, Nurses Babies, Mends Stockings, Peels Potatoes and Fiddles at Country Parties—He Never Refuses to Pl y.

(Special Letter.)

A unique canvass for the governorship of West Virginia is being made by Judge John D. Holt, the Democratic nominee. The judge is wasting no time on the men; he is paying strict attention to the women, having faith in the theory that they will convert the men. So he is traveling the rural districts on horseback, dispensing flattery and lessons in housework wherever he goes.

Bakes Blackberry Dumplings.

It was in Nicholas county, at the home of a prominent farmer, that he first displayed his knowledge of the culinary art. While chatting with the farmer's wife he espied a basket of blackberries on the veranda. He asked for the flour barrel, baking powder and some other ingredients, and when the astonished housewife complied with his request he at once went to work. The result was a lot of blackberry dumplings, the superior of

JOHN D. HOLT.

which had never been tasted in that household. The judge's fame as a cook spread rapidly.

Quiets a Baby.

At another farmhouse the candidate found the good wife struggling with her household duties and a fretful baby at the same time. The judge said "good morning," and then went to the baby's crib, where he looked the little mite over. Then he "cooed" softly a few times and the baby stared, stopped crying and became interested. Then it smiled and the judge cooed some more. In a little while the baby went to sleep and the judge set about making himself otherwise useful. He made the best hired girl in the neighborhood look like 30 cents, as the woman of the house testified in a conversation with a neighbor next day.

When the farmer at this place got home his surprise at the excellence of the meal, the neatness of the house, and, above all, the quietness of the baby was beyond expression. When told that it was the judge who did it he could scarce restrain his enthusiasm. He went to the store that night and told all about it, and there were three cheers for the judge, who pulls off exactly 11 votes on the baby deal.

Fiddles for Dancing.

As a sort of variant or diversion from these solid efforts Judge Holt maintains that there is nothing to equal a little good spirited country dancing. In these parts dances are easily arranged. Any farm house is a good dancing hall, all that is wanted being the dancers and the music. The latter are always on hand or not far away, and can be quickly "bid" to a dance. As to the music things are not so easy. It is not every man who plays a fiddle to suit the fastidious tastes of your West Virginia youth. No more critical audiences live anywhere—for in dancing they want music to dance by, with not too many variations—just good, reliable music that anyone can hear and follow. And right there is where Judge Holt excels. He has a fiddle that was made by a blind fiddle maker, the notes of which can be distinctly heard in the biggest barn or house in the country. What is more, unlike some fiddles the judge's has its notes all distinct, so that when he plays one you are bound to know just which it is. Well, one night, somebody said dance in the judge's hearing, a young fellow it was, by the way, talking to his girl. They lamented the fact that there was no fiddler about. There was.

The Judge's Chance.

Going to the barn where he had left his bags and blankets, the judge unwound a coil from about the fiddle case and returned to the house. There he began "tuning up," while everyone present was silent with astonishment. In a little while such tunes began coming from that fiddle as had never been heard in those parts before. Hoedowns, Virginia reels, polkas, two-steps, all set the air to jingling.

Such dancing as there was that night had never been known in the neighborhood. Couple after couple, attracted by some mysterious mesmerism, arrived and entered the whirling, dreamy maze. Hour after hour, dance after dance the judge played, only stopping now and again to give the dancers a rest, or to put a little rosin on his bow, or to drink a glass of cider. Daylight was breaking before the dancing ceased, and the judge,

in love with a poor composer. If such be the case, there will probably be a counter divorce.

In any event another international marriage has proved unhappy. It may convey to others the lesson, but we doubt it, that marrying for title alone brings its own punishment.

E. S. PHELPS.

ONLY ONE.

They Have a Unique Record in Lima as Well as Elsewhere.

The reader can only find one remedy that first gives local proof of its merits and second demonstrates beyond doubt that when it cures the work is permanent. Read this:

Mr. W. H. Neise, of 123 south McDonald street, says: "In the summer of 1896 I was called upon by a representative who wished to ascertain my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills, which I procured some time previously at W. M. Melville's drug store. I gave it to him and allowed it to be published in Lima papers. In November of 1898 another representative interviewed me to ascertain if I was still free from kidney complaint which Doan's Kidney Pills had disposed of over two years before. I conscientiously made the following public: Since I used Doan's Kidney Pills in 1896 I have had no return of kidney trouble. I can recommend them today as highly as when I first gave my first statement. They are reliable and effective for backache and inactive kidneys."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

London's Underground Railway.

The success of the new underground electric railway in London shows with what facility the channel tunnel could have been bored if the work had been permitted to proceed. So far as safety goes it would not practically have been worse than traveling at fifteen miles an hour all day sixty to ninety feet under the streets of London in an iron tube of eleven and one-half feet diameter, without room for the train even to turn over, rising a little towards each station as if you were on a switchback, and descending on the other side after passing it. To guard against the possibility of collision there are two tunnels, one for the outward and the other for the return journey, but in some places these, instead of being parallel, are, owing to exigencies of space deflected, one downward and the other upward, till one runs directly under the other. If anything like decent ventilation can be maintained, the new railway is likely to be popular.

BLOWN TO ATOMS.

The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure Constipation and Sick Headache. Only 25c at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store, cor. Mtin and North streets.

A Good Story of Gen. Grant.

One day during his presidency he came into the room where his cabinet was assembling, quietly laughing to himself. "I have just read," said he, "one of the best anecdotes I have ever met. It was that John Adams, after he had been president, was one day taking a party out to dinner, at his home in Quincy, when one of his guests noticed a portrait over the door and said, 'You have a fine portrait of Washington there, Mr. Adams.' 'Yes,' was the reply, 'and that old wooden head made his fortune by keeping his mouth shut,'" and Grant laughed again with uncommon enjoyment. The apocryphal story gained a permanent interest in Grant's mouth, for though he showed no consciousness that it could have any application to himself, he evidently thought that keeping the mouth shut was not enough in itself to insure fortune, and at any rate was not displeased at finding such a ground of sympathy with the father of his country. Grant, telling the story seemed to me, under the circumstances, infinitely more amusing than the original.—From "The Chickamauga Crisis," by Hon. J. D. Cox, in the September Scribner's.

AFTER LaGRIPPE—WHAT?

Usually a racking cough and a general feeling of weakness. Foley's Honey and Tar is guaranteed to cure the "grippe cough" and make you strong and well.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

A Daring Deed.

"The nerviest act I know of," said a Kansas man while discussing the world's brave deeds, "was performed by Lieutenant Jones of the company of marines that took John Brown at Harper's Ferry. Robert E. Lee had advanced his ninety marines in a semi-circle about the armory in which Brown and his men had taken refuge. Then Lieutenant Jones stepped out and commenced to read the riot act to the men behind the armory walls, and though they kept shooting at him his voice never wavered, nor did he show any other sign of trepidation. It is needless to say that I was in that company of marines."—Washington Times.

This is a small ad but it tells of a great remedy.

Tonsiline

will positively cure any form of sore throat inside 24 hours. Druggists everywhere 25 and 50 cents.

The Tonsiline Co., Canton, Ohio.

LOW FARE TO WASHINGTON

For First Presidential Inauguration of Twentieth Century.

Excursion tickets to Washington will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines March 1st, 2d and 3d, 1901, with return limit on all tickets including March 8th.

The inauguration of President McKinley on March 4th will be the first event of that kind in the new century, and will attract notables from all over the country. The ceremonies will be impressive, and the parade and festivities will be of an unusual character, interesting to all.

The trip to Washington made be made via Pennsylvania Lines at the low fares on through trains of modern railroad equipment. For details about fares and through service, apply to nearest Pennsylvania Line Ticket Agent.

BEAT OUT OF AN INCREASE OF HIS PENSION.

A Mexican war veteran and prominent editor writes: "Seeing the advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Dirrhoea Remedy, I am reminded that as a soldier in Mexico in '47 and '48, I contracted Mexican dirrhoea and this remedy has kept me from getting an increase in my pension for on every renewal a dose of it restored me." It is unequalled as a quick cure for dirrhoea and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists.

New Magazine Rifle.

The English war office is experimenting with a new magazine rifle. It is the invention of an Australian, and it possesses several advantages over the leemetford arm, which is at present employed in the British army. The automatic feed of the cartridges from the magazine into the breech is a striking feature. It was tried at Bisley in the recent competitions and fired thirty shots in the minute, with twenty-eight hits, of which seventeen were bulls' eyes.

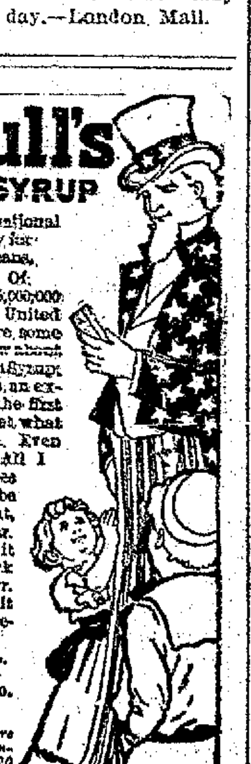
THE MOTHER'S FAVORITE.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the mother's favorite. It is pleasant and safe for children to take and always cures. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and is the best medicine made for these diseases. There is not the least danger in giving it to children for it contains no opium or other injurious drug and may be given as confidently to a babe as to an adult. For sale by all druggists.

Chinese Lady's Toilet.

The style of a Chinese lady's wearing apparel seldom alters. If she happens to be wealthy she dresses entirely in silk, the first garment consisting of a sort of apron or plain piece of silk tied around the waist and overlapping behind. Then comes the underjacket, then the overjacket, trousers and apron. Finally, if she is going to pay calls, or for any other reason wishes to appear particularly charming, she paints her face with a paste made of wet rice flour, which dries and gives a most deathlike appearance. She then removes the paste from her eyes and lips with a wet cloth, and, wetting a finger, draws it three times round her throat, and the three red marks thus left complete the toilet, which is to render her absolutely irresistible. A stiff, flat fan and a powder box, with a little mirror in the lid by which she can see to periodically touch her face with the powder puff, invariably accompany the Chinese lady throughout the day.—London Mail.

Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP



Is the national remedy for Americans, large or small. Of course, out of 75,000,000 people in the United States there are some who do not know about Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, but yet, just as an experiment, ask the first friend you meet what he knows of it. Even if he says: "All I know is it cures coughs," don't be content with that, ask your doctor. We guarantee it to be sure—quick—harmless. Dr. Bull prescribed it and mothers recommend it.

Refuse Substitutes.

A. C. Meyer & Co. Baltimore, Md.

Dr. Bull's Pills cure Dyspepsia and Constipation. Trial, 20 for 5 cents. At all dealers or by mail.

Pitts'gh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Div.

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Wooster	"	4 55	10 55	6 21	5 42		
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No. 3. Daily	4:20 p. m
No. 9. Daily	6:00 p. m
No. 55. Sunday only	6:59 a. m
No. 13. Daily, except Sunday, Arr.	7:45 p. m

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	Departs.
No. 12. Daily	2:35 a. m
No. 14. Daily except Sunday	5:55 a. m
No. 2. Daily except Sunday	8:20 a. m
No. 5. Daily	11:57 a. m
No. 4. Daily except Sunday	4:25 p. m
No. 58. Sunday only	7:43 p. m
No. 16. Daily, except Sunday, Arr.	9:50 p. m
No. 56. Sunday only	9:25 p. m

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" 7 Eastern express, daily	7:34 a. m.
" 38 Crestline accommodation, daily except Sunday	8:51 a. m.
" 22 To Alliance, daily except Sunday	2:40 p. m
" 20 New York special, daily	5:57 p. m.
" 8 Day express, daily	9:36 p. m.
" 2 Limited express, daily	10:49 p. m.

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" 5 Limited express, daily	8:23 a. m.
" 21 Chicago special, daily	8:25 a. m.
" 39 Chicago and west, daily except Sunday	9:49 a. m.
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IN THE NEW CENTURY.

Some Prognostications of Eminent Frenchmen.

VIEW OF FRANCE'S CHIEF CHEMIST

Berthelot Believes the Future of Motor Power Belongs to Petroleum and Gas—Gabriel Monod on the Advance of Socialism—Literature and the Arts.

Off and on during the past few weeks the Paris press has made an amusement of prognostications of the century to come. Men eminent in science and literature and art, and trusted observers of the course of contemporary history, have been drawn with success, writes the Paris correspondent of the New York Post. M. Berthelot, the chief chemist of France during the last half century, the friend of Renan, who led with him the young intellectuals of 1848; the member elect of the French Academy to represent science in that body, as Pasteur did in his day, has given an opinion on practical things—on the development of machinery by the use of motor power. He declares frankly against steam, which, he says, is already growing obsolete, while electricity, which is only an intermediary between the material source of energy and its application, will always cost too much to become the motor force of common industrial life. For him the future of motor power belongs to petroleum and to gas. The steam engine will be relegated to museums where other anthropological curiosities are collected from the stone age down. It will be remembered that M. Berthelot long since predicted that the time of chemical feeding of humanity is to come, when we shall carry beefsteaks and breadstuffs in our vest pockets, in the shape of convenient pellets supplying the necessary elements, carbons, azotes, phosphates and the rest, to needy tissues; but this reform he does not announce for the twentieth century. The Pasteur people, with Metschnikoff at their head, have also given over promising serums to save from old age, but they foresee with reasonable hope remedies for cancer, consumption and the plague.

In political and social history M. Gabriel Monod has prophesied grave things, of which more elementary vision has had glimpses for some time past. The influence of M. Monod until recently was almost preponderant in France in historical studies. His long years at the Ecole Normale Superieure, where men like ex-Minister Hanotaux passed under him; at the Ecole Pratique des Hautes Etudes of the Sorbonne, of which he has been a chief organizer, and the foundation of the Revue Historique, which was due to him, give him a place apart. His belonging to a noted family of Protestant clergymen and his pronounced stand in favor of the innocence of Dreyfus may have made his name unpopular of late, but they have scarcely lessened the esteem in which he is held for judicial moderation and breadth of view. He announces plainly for the twentieth century the advance and the triumph of socialism.

Of course, this does not mean that any special school or party of what are now called socialists will necessarily seize on political power, but that the tendencies making for what is properly called socialism are contained in the present evolution of society and are bound to prevail, just as democracy has constantly progressed with the century that is past. The triumph of democracy itself is far from being complete, and it has left a train of revolutions, more or less bloody, behind it in France. Tolstoi, in Maitre Labori's Grande Revue of this month, treats of the modern slavery and finds that present day government is universally organized violence. Anatole France, in lighter vein, defines the organized justice of society as the organization of force.

With these opinions, smelling of anarchy, from the sages and philosophers of the day in the background it would not be strange that other revolutions should be in store for us, but socialism as it is, with two ministers in the government—M. Millerand for commerce and industry and M. Baudin for public works—goes along peaceably enough. It would be curious to sum up the measures taken since 1848 and now in full practice, which were then considered altogether revolutionary. A few of the political weather prophets have ventured to foresee in the coming years the extinction of international wars through arbitration, but even M. Monod makes no prediction as to the character of the struggle of classes which might precede the conversion of society to socialism. If the transformation is to be gradual, then the entrance of M. Millerand into the ministry of republican defense is only a comforting step of the necessary evolution. The old fashioned Journal des Debats, which represents the Liberalism that has forgotten nothing and learned nothing, continues to see in it only the surrender of the republic to the forces of revolution. One hundred years since Liberalism itself was the revolution.

In literature and the arts the prophesying is more negative, for no one can foresee the coming of a genius or what he will bring with him to rejoice the world. There is a general expression of opinion, almost of hope, that the day of exaggerated and dogmatic realism is past. The appearance of historical romance at the theaters and the failure of Bohemian Montmartre are already signs of a new fashion. Saint-Saens, who is elderly, thinks he sees also signs of the reaction from intolerant Wagnerianism and a return to the safe forms of classical music. Charpentier, whose "Louise" has been a successful inauguration of the Zolaesque novel set to vagrant harmonies, is naturally of a contrary opinion. In painting all seem agreed that impressionism has delivered its message and that the time has come again for the ideal to reappear.

In the higher education weighty thinkers like Alfred Fouillee are demanding that something of its old place shall be given back to philosophy, properly so called, in order that the coming men of science and letters may have depth and breadth of thought and not be confined narrowly each in his own specialty. In religion, which once had all the prophets, no one now dares to foresee the future. The mediæval predictions are supposed to speak of wars and rumors of wars once the present democratizing pope is out of the way, after which there shall be a revival of great kings and holy pontiffs reigning in a new Rome and a new Paris.

NEW STORY OF MARK TWAIN.

Amusing Account of the Humorist's Famous Duel.

Now that Mark Twain has come back to the United States to stay his old friends out west are telling some new stories of his experiences in that country in the sixties, says the Chicago Tribune. One of the most amusing is an account of Mark's famous duel at Virginia City, Nev., in 1866, the details of which have never before been printed. Mr. Clemens was then working as a reporter on The Territorial Enterprise, the leading newspaper of Virginia City, which was then a booming mining camp full of rough and ready men. One day there came to the town a Miss Wheeler, a beautiful young woman, with whom the entire male population of Virginia City promptly proceeded to fall in love. One of the most prominent men of the town was Judge Baldwin, a fire eating Virginia, who was nearly 80 years old. Mark Twain saw Miss Wheeler in bridal attire walk into the International hotel one afternoon with Judge Baldwin and jumped to the conclusion that she was going to marry the old man. He said so in his paper and comforted the other men of Virginia City by saying that the "bridegroom already had one foot in the grave, with the other a close second." Judge Baldwin challenged him to a duel. Pistols were chosen as the weapons, though the judge was a good shot, and Mark knew nothing about firearms. On the appointed morning Mark and his second, Steve Gillis, a dead shot, were early on the scene. Gillis was trying the revolver and finally fired at a robin fully 50 feet distant. His bullet took the bird's head off, and he went forward to pick up the body after handing the revolver to Mark Twain. Just as Gillis picked up the decapitated bird Judge Baldwin and his party came over the top of a little hill and saw him. They looked first at Gillis holding the headless bird and then at Twain holding the smoking pistol.

"That was a good shot," said one of Baldwin's seconds.

"Yes," answered Gillis. "I doubt if there is as good a shot in the country as Mark."

Immediately Baldwin's seconds proposed a compromise. An apology from Judge Baldwin was promptly accepted.

"Steve," said Mark Twain, as they walked home together, "poor cock robin was the only one that got hurt in that duel."

MINISTER'S SIGHT RESTORED

During Prayers For His Healing the Preacher Finds He Can See.

A remarkable case of restoration of sight after years of total blindness comes from Kenton county, Ky., says a Cincinnati dispatch to the Chicago Times-Herald. The experience is that of Rev. J. W. Iles of the Methodist Episcopal church on Decoursy creek. Mr. Iles is 27 years old. At the age of 17 an attack of measles severely affected his eyes. They became weaker, and in four years his sight had totally vanished.

"At this time," said Mr. Iles, "I saw two well known oculists of Cincinnati. They said there was no hope of my ever regaining sight, as both optic nerves were destroyed. About four years ago I was married without ever having seen my bride. I became a minister and preached for several years in Pendleton and Kenton counties and have been here several weeks.

"One evening recently after church service a number of the brethren and sisters said they felt the Lord was about to relight my eyes. I was then still stone blind. All prayed earnestly for a return of my sight. Two of the friends put their hands on my head, when in the midst of the prayer four scales or cataracts fell off my eyes, and I saw my wife and my little child for the first time in my life.

"My eyes have since improved every day. I can see well enough to read coarse print in the morning before my eyes are strained by intense light. I feel the Lord will finally give me perfect sight again."

The Boys of the New Century.

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To the later chivalry,
Calls the Angel of the Future,
And she speaks to you and me.

Bring me men to meet my problems—
Men of tempered metal wrought,
Who will dare the silent struggle,
With eternal meaning fraught.
Clutch and conquer self—then, rising,
Resolute and battle taught,

Quit the churlish mob and follow
In the vassalage of Right,
Rout the skulking Wolf of Darkness
With Truth's torches, blazing bright,
And believe a heavy burden,
Love transfigured, will be light.

From the hilltop of the Present
To the Realm of Mystery,
Through the autumn air, this morning,
To the Future's angel we
Signal back a fateful message;
Ah, what will our answer be?

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BIG ENGINEERING FEAT IN BURMA

Contract Secured by an American Company Over Competitors From All Nations—Gigantic Undertaking Completed on Time and Without the Loss of a Man.

Another great American engineering feat has been accomplished, and the viaduct which spans the Gokteik gorge in India will stand as an enduring monument of the Pennsylvania Steel company's skill in bridge building, writes the Harrisburg correspondent of the New York Sun. It is not the first great undertaking of the bridge and construction department of this company, but it has attracted attention throughout the world by reason of the difficulties in the way of a successful completion of the work. Thousands of miles distant from the plant of the company at Steelton and with innumerable obstacles to be overcome before the construction of the viaduct could be even commenced, it required sublime courage to invade the enemy's country and snatch from English competitors the contract for a viaduct of this character on an English railroad.

The British government having invited proposals for the building of a viaduct across the Gokteik gorge, a wild and picturesque rift in the Shan hills of Burma about 80 miles east of Mandalay, the Pennsylvania Steel company secured the contract at a figure approximately $700,000. The site of the bridge is about 150 miles inland from Rangun, the principal seaport of Burma. J. V. W. Reynders, superintendent of the bridge and construction department of the company, prepared the preliminary drawings and estimates, and a representative was sent to London to submit the proposal and explain anything which needed explanation. Chiefly for the reason that the Pennsylvania company agreed to complete the work in such a brief space of time was the contract given to the American bidder. It was thought by the foreign bidders that the Pennsylvania company would surely fail, but a cablegram just received states that the viaduct has been accepted by the British government.

The wonderful steel traveler used in the construction work was the original design of F. W. Cohen, the assistant superintendent of the bridge department of the Steelton works, where it was made and shipped to Rangun with the first consignment of materials. This colossal crane had the unprecedented overhang of 164 feet and weighed 160,000 pounds. It was built of iron and steel and was capable of lifting a girder weighing 25 tons. With this huge machine the towers of the viaduct were erected, and as fast as one span was completed it was pushed along to the next, picking up from the ground hundreds of feet below the various parts necessary to finish another section of the work. In this way the gorge was spanned without the loss of one man and with no serious accident. The viaduct is 2,260 feet long and 320 feet high in the center of the gorge, but the central tower rests upon a wonderful natural bridge, the river flowing through a natural tunnel 520 feet below.

Twenty men of the construction force left the works of the company at Steelton in the summer of 1899, sailing from New York on the Majestic on Aug. 23 of that year. Ten more followed on the Teutonic last February. The erection of the viaduct was started on Dec. 1, 1899, and completed Oct. 16, 1900. Since the latter date the traveler had to be removed, the tools shipped and some riveting and painting done. There were employed 30 Americans, 15 Europeans and about 400 natives. To obtain these it was necessary to send a man all over India and Burma. They were paid about 24 cents a day.

Great trouble was encountered at the outset on account of a flood which interrupted communication between Mandalay and the site of the operations, and also on the main line to Rangun. To make matters worse, the railroad used to transport the materials was a narrow gauge line with a grade of one foot in 25, and the total train capacity was 40 tons less than the average capacity of one of our American cars. Under the circumstances the short time in which this mighty undertaking was completed is marvelous. The material was shipped from Steelton to Brooklyn, and the cars necessary to transport it would make a train one and half miles long. It included the structural iron and steel, a complete pneumatic plant, four hoisting engines, 70 coils of rope, the steel traveler and other appliances to facilitate the work. This material was shipped in three vessels to Rangun, and the total weight was about 5,000 tons, exclusive of the erection outfit, which weighed 250 tons.

The viaduct is on what is known as the Mandalay-Kunlon Ferry railway, a division of the Burma railways. The towers are built for double track, but only two lines of girders, for single track, have been placed in position. These are on one side of the tower, and two or more lines will be required when it comes to double tracking.

As now completed and turned over to the British government the bridge is one of the highest, if not the higest, in use on any railroad in the world. The highest point on the Kinzua viaduct in Pennsylvania is 306 feet, while the Gokteik viaduct is 320 feet, the Kinzua structure is 2,052 feet long and that over the Gokteik gorge 2,260 feet.

A QUEEN'S BRIDAL GOWN.

Marvelous Dress That Wilhelmina Will Wear.

Queen Wilhelmina's wedding gown, now making in Paris, is the most magnificent of modern times, says the New York Journal. While a Parisian dressmaker designed and is making the gown, the marvelous embroideries are being executed at the Royal School of Art Needlework at Amsterdam. The finest work there is in the hands of Mrs. Tue Laer, the American wife of an Amsterdam citizen.

The designs for the gown, as exhibited in Paris, show that it will be of cloth of silver, so exquisitely supple and fine of texture as to suggest the Indian muslins of our grandmothers, that could be pulled through a ring. This cloth has been specially woven at great cost. It will be made over the richest white glace silk, which will en-

QUEEN WILHELMINA.

hance the bright shimmer of the tissue. The whole front of the jupe will be worked in a tapering design harmonizing with the train, broad at the hem, narrow at the waist.

A full court train, eight feet long on the ground, falls from the waist and is surrounded by two bands of embroidery. The general design of this marvelous embroidery is detached sprays of orange blossoms, with their foliage, connected by scrolls and ribbons. Each cluster of flowers has a single fully opened bloom surrounded by buds. Fine seed pearls are used for these, while the foliage is indicated by silver thread and paillettes.

In addition to the pearls and paillettes, six different kinds of silver bullion twist are used to produce artistic effects. All this embroidery is worked on silver tissue, backed with a white silk foundation. The bodice is cut low and will be quite plain, with no embroidery. It will be draped with rare Brussels lace, and the veil will be of the same.

The queen's mother will wear a dress of heliotrope velvet draped with lace. The queen's new court gown is being made in Amsterdam of the richest white velvet, with a full train deeply bordered and fully lined with the choicest ermine. A cloak to match this will be of white velvet and ermine. The fur markets of the world have been searched to find the rarest skins.

The Sudan a Good Feld For Trade.

Following Lord Kitchener's policy of seeing everything for himself, the sirdar, Sir F. R. Wingate, has just left Omdurman, accompanied by a large staff of officials and engineers, on a tour of inspection of the provinces of the Blue Nile, says the Pittsburg Dispatch. It can safely be asserted that in two or three years at most the Sudan will have made such strides that merchants, manufacturers and mining prospectors will find a large field for their operations, and all nations will recognize the benefit to the world which accrued in the reconquest and the restoration to civilization by Britain of these immense regions. The work of cutting the Sudd on the upper Nile will shortly be resumed.

The Salt Eating Mania.

A new habit has asserted itself which suggests a curious train of thought as to the direction in which human aberrations in the matter of personal habits may eventually tend, says the London Health. It is said that the new habit, that of salt eating, is not only greatly on the increase, but that it is in many cases a most serious disease. It begins with a desire for large quantities of salt with the food, and, if not checked, reaches a stage in which the patient carries salt crystals about with her wherever she goes and is continually nibbling at them. The symptoms are a peculiar yellowness and shrinking of the skin, which is followed by the loss of all the hair, even that of the eyelids.

Fashion and the Sea Gulls.

Now fashion is chasing the Maine sea gulls with a peaked stick, and the legislature will be asked to pass a law protecting the fowl, says the Lewiston (Me.) Journal. Otherwise they are likely to join our departed friend the dodo.

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PERSONALS.

The Prince of Wales really had to put on eyeglasses. He began to miss seeing the pretty women.

Helen Keller, the famous blind deaf mute, has been elected vice president of the freshman class at Radcliffe college.

The czarina likes to set her own table and tend her own house flowers, as Victoria of Wales does at Sandringham.

Sir William Lyne has offered a prize of $2,500 for the best ode in commemoration of the new commonwealth of Australia.

Mark Twain usually breakfasts about 10 o'clock. He says that the early breakfast is one of the American customs he admires most when abroad.

At the woman suffragists' bazar in New York there was offered for sale a quilt made by Susan B. Anthony when she was 14 years old.

A PROMINENT CHICAGO WOMAN SPEAKS.

Prof. Roxa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-President Illinois Woman's Alliance, in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies but I seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I found it was pleasant to take and it relieved me at once. I am now entirely recovered, saved a doctor's bill, time and suffering, and I will never be without this splendid medicine again." For sale by all druggists.

TART PROVERBS.

Youth may stray afar, yet return at last.

None so busy as those who do nothing.

He is not escaped who drags his chain.

There are more foolish buyers than foolish sellers.

There is no pride like that of a beggar grown rich.

There's nothing like being bespattered for making a man defy the gutter.

TRIED FIVE DOCTORS.

Mrs. Frances L. Sales of Missouri Valley, Ia., writes: "I had severe kidney trouble for years, had tried five doctors without benefit, but three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure cured me."

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ODDS AND ENDS.

Dikes of Japan cost in the aggregate more money than those of the Netherlands.

Smoking is forbidden on the platforms of street cars in Springfield, Mass.

Six hundred new French plays were performed in France and elsewhere last year.

Khaki neck shields are now worn in sunny weather by the London police force.

There are only about 180 living soldiers who are entitled to wear the British Victoria Cross.

Merchants in London are still selling Boer relics, and, however little their intrinsic value may be, they bring high prices.

In some of the hotels in northern Europe your quality is asked for among the other inquiries propounded in registering as a guest.

An advertisement has appeared in a London paper, in which a lady expresses her desire for a servant who will be expected to "cook and dress the children."

LINGERING LA GRIPPE COUGH.

G. Vacher, 157 Osgood street, Chicago, says: "My wife had a very severe case of la grippe, and it left her with a very bad cough. She tried a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and it gave immediate relief. A 50 cent bottle cured her cough entirely." Price 25c and 50c.

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LITTLE CLASSICS.

Nothing is so dangerous as an ignorant friend.—La Fontaine.

Nature never yields reward to him who seeks and loves her best.—Barry Cornwall.

What unknown seas of feeling lie in man, and will from time to time break through!—Carlyle.

Modern education too often covers the fingers with rings, and at the same time cuts the sinews at the wrist.—Earl of Sterling.

The profit of books is according to the sensibility of the reader. The profoundest thought or passion sleeps as in a mine, until an equal mind and heart finds and publishes it.—Emerson.

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RATE

Of Accidents on the Railroads

On the Increase

According to Report of Commissioner.

Four Hundred and Ninety-Four Fatal Accidents in Ohio Last Year,

And a Whole Army of Railroad Men Were Injured—C. & N. Litigation is Soon to be Cleared Up.

The twenty-third annual report of the commissioner of railroads and telegraphs was filed in the governor's office Wednesday by Hon. R. S. Kayler.

There was no new railroad corporations formed in the state during the year 1900. The number was ninety-nine, of which two were under construction. There was a decrease of capital stock mileage of 61.20 miles under 1899, occasioned by resurveys of Ohio Southern and Wheeling and Lake Erie railroads.

Employes.—In Ohio the total number of employes in 1900 was 67,834, an increase of 10,720. Assigned on a mileage basis, 780 to each 100 miles of main line, an increase of 128 per each 100 miles of main line road.

Salaries.—Total amount of salaries paid last year was $37,190,857.19, an increase of $5,114,810.84 over 1899.

Liability to Accident.—There were 67,834 employes; number injured resulting in death 164, or one in each 413 employed, a decrease in liability to fatality of one in every 263. Number injured not resulting in death 6575, or one in every 10 employed, an increase in liability to injury of one in every 9 employed.

Accidents. Total number injured, 1900, 7785, an increase of 1344. Apportioned as follows: Passengers 344, an increase of 159; travelers on highways 237, an increase of 47; employes 6563, an increase of 1131; trespassers 641, an increase of 16.

Fatal Accidents.—Total number killed from January 1 to December 31, 1900, 494, an increase of 55. They were classified as follows: Passengers 4, a decrease of 11; travelers on highways 88, an increase of 15; employes 138, an increase of 3; trespassers 264, an increase of 44.

THE COLUMBUS & NORTHWESTERN.

A special meeting of the Toledo & Ohio Central stockholders has been called for February 7th. The purpose of the meeting, it is announced, is to vote upon the proposition of issuing first mortgage branch and income bonds to be used in purchasing and constructing additional mileage.

Although it is not officially announced, the additional mileage referred to in the call is the Columbus & Northwestern. This is what is known as the Columbus extension of the Lima Northern, which belongs to the Haskell-Strang syndicate. All of the negotiations have been completed, and the meeting is largely only a formality. Representatives of the controlling interests in the Ohio Central have, it is said, agreed with the Haskell-Strang syndicate as to the terms of the sale and have only awaited the clearing up of certain litigation connected with the property. This having been accomplished, the deal will formally be closed by the action of the stockholders on the 7th. Soon after that date, the Ohio Central general officers will take charge of the property.—Columbus Press-Post.

NOTES.

Railroad managers have their weather eye on the prize fight question to be decided by the courts of Cincinnati. If the bruisers are permitted to meet in the squared circle, in Cincinnati, the railroads' manavers anticipate a harvest from excursion trains. It is said the Cincinnati Northern will, in that event run a special train from Jackson, Mich.

The summer of 1901 promises to be one of unusual activity at Woodsdale Island park, the C. H. & D. railroad's resort on the Miami river south of Middletown. Already the railroad company is advertising for Sunday school and other parties who desire dates for picnic purposes. No special improvements of the park are known to be planned.

The Pennsylvania company's double track between Van Wert and Fort Wayne is now open to freight traffic. Passenger trains will be given use of the track the coming week.

Passenger conductor Ed. Lipsett, of the P., Ft. W. & C., was the guest of relatives here today.

North bound passenger train No. 12, of the C. H. & D., was late last night on account of the engine being partly disabled.

Engineer Frank Miller, of the L. E. & W., who married Miss Mayme Dolan, of Tipton, Ind., last Monday, is again on duty.

LEASES

Secured on Property Near Beaumont

By Ex-Senator M. D. Shaw, of Wapakoneta.

He States That the Titles to Most of the Territory in the Beaumont Field are Very Poor Ones.

Ex-Senator M. D. Shaw and Mr. W. B. Jack, of Wapakoneta, are in the Beaumont, Texas, oil field. The former has secured a lease on 10,000 acres of territory near Beaumont and reports that titles to nearly all of the property in that locality are very uncertain.

EMPLOYMENT IN TEXAS.

For the information of many workingmen who hope to find employment in Texas in numerous vocations which go to make up the employment of the oil fields in the east, W. T. Cushing, superintendent of J. S. Cullinan Co., who deal in petroleum at Corsicana, Texas, writes the following of the conditions that pertain there, says the Derrick. "Cable drilling is wholly unknown. The surface drilling and for the first 800 feet, is composed of caving formation, with intersections of quicksand beds from 40 to 100 feet in thickness, which cable wells are incapable of coping with. The hydraulic or rotary system of drilling is the only way in which wells have been able to force their way to the oil bearing strata. The Guffey well took three and a half months to complete by one of the most expert crews in Texas.

Saturday's sale in dressing sacques at less than cost at Mrs. F. Light's.

F——I——S——H at Townsend's.

"Neglected colds make fat graves wards." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup helps men and women to a happy, vigorous old age.

INSULTS

Which Were Contained in the Lima Gazette

This Morning are Resented by Members of the Arion Maennerchor.

In what purports to be a "funny" article in the morning "Blusterbust," that sheet hurls an insult against one of our best and most substatial societies in this city—the Arion Maennerchor. Said society is composed of our best and most prominent German-American citizens, who took advantage of the sleighing season to pay a visit (with their wives) to their fellow member, Mr. Henry Freub. While the party was a merry one and enjoyed the occasion as only Germans know how, the article in the "Blusterbust" would lead you to believe that the party consisted of a drunken, howling mob. There were a number of other jolly sleighing parties on the same evening who were probably more hilarious than the one mentioned by the morning sheet, and the insulting slur cast on this particular party can only be construed as an evidence that the writer finds particular pleasure in casting ridicule upon a class of our citizens whom they classed as "our German citizens" during the progress of a campaign.

Hand-made Wax Candles for church use, at Watson's. 8-1w

RELATIVES

Of Wm. H. Davies Informed of His Death.

Former Resident of Lima Dies at Frankfort, Ind.,

And His Wife is Also Said to be Very Low as a Result of Illness and the Shock.

A marked copy of the Frankfort, Ind., Times, published yesterday morning has been received at this office, containing an account of the death of Wm. H. Davies, formerly of this city, and the serious illness of his wife Three relatives of the deceased reside in Lima and all have responded to the sad message which calls them to a home likely to be infested by a double sorrow. The obituary in the Times furnishes the following particulars:

At 9 o'clock last night the angel of death placed the seal of eternity on the eyes of William H. Davies and he sank peacefully to sleep only to awake in the dawn of that life beyond the grave. His demise occurred at his home, No. 252 west Clinton street. Pneumonia superinduced by the grip was the cause of his death. The funeral arrangements are not definite as yet, but the services will be conducted by Rev. Fred George Cadwell, Saturday some time, probably at the Presbyterian church, owing to Mrs. Davies' condition. The body will be placed temporarily in the Given-Linwiddie mausoleum at Greenlawn.

William Howell Davies was born in Brynamlwg, South Wales, October 10, 1874. He was a son of Rev. W. M. Davies, now residing in Carmarthen, South Wales. He came to America in March, 1890, and four years ago came to Frankfort and accepted a position as machinist at the Clover Leaf shops. He was an expert workman and was regarded as one of the most skilled and reliable employes of the road. He is survived by his parents residing in South Wales, as stated, and three sisters, Mrs. C. Roberts, of Lima, Ohio; Mrs. J. E. Summers, of Lima, Ohio; and Mrs. Margaret Davies, of Carmarthen, South Wales; and by two brothers, Edwin L. of Lima, Ohio, and Dr. T. O. Davies, of Ruobon, North Wales. In 1898 he was united in marriage to Miss Daisy Zaring, and she, with a 10-months-old son, survives him. He was a member of the Congregational church, but while in Frankfort affiliated with the Presbyterian church as there is no church of his denomination here. He was a Christian young man in every sense and there were none in Frankfort more popular. Quiet and rather reserved he was regarded highly by all and his death brings a pall of sorrow to the entire community.

Mrs. Davies, who is also very low with pneumonia, was informed of her husband's death and the severe shock caused her condition to become much worse. She bore up as bravely as possible, but in her weakened condition it is feared that she will not be able to withstand the loss of her grandmother, mother and husband, all of whom have been called within a week. The strain is a fearful one and a total collapse is feared. Mrs. Rodenberger, her aunt, is lying at the point of death with pneumonia, and her demise is expected hourly. The family has the warmest sympathy and most earnest prayers of the city in their great sorrow.

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Spare Ribs at Townsend's.

WELL KNOWN

In This City is Dr. Ada Sheehan,

Who is a Federal Prisoner in Cincinnati.

She and Her Husband Are Charged With Attempting to Blackmail the Latter's Employer to the Tune of $7,000.

Dr. Ada Sheehan-Horman, a Cincinnati woman, who is quite well known in this city, was landed in jail in Cincinnati yesterday, charged with attempting to blackmail her husband's employer, attorney Howard Douglass, to the extent of $7,000. Her husband and step-son are also in jail.

Horman was employed for twenty-five years as Mr. Douglass' private secretary. During the last few weeks the latter received a number of letters from an anonymous writer who threatened to reveal alleged family secrets of his if he did not give Horman $7,000 for the writer. The clue that led to the arrest of the Horman's was furnished by some marked postage stamps from Mr. Douglass' office.

Dr. Ada Sheehan-Horman claims to be a spiritualist medium and she delivered a series of lectures before the Spiritualists' society in this city.

SNOW AND ICE

Does Not Stop Progress on Inter-urban Line.

Bridges and Grade Are Under Construction Along Right-of-Way Near Wapakoneta.

The snow and ice and extremely unfavorable weather of the past few days has not stopped the progress of work along the line of the Lima-St. Marys electric line. Bridge abutments, fences, grade and crossings are being constracted, and every effort is being made to complete the work ready for the laying of track at the earliest possible date. Ed. Cunningham, of the engineering corps, is in charge of some work at St. Marys, John Walton is in charge of some work west of Wapakoneta, and construction foreman Sisson is looking after the construction of the last small strip of grade north of Wapakoneta. The abutments for the bridge that will span the river at Wapakoneta are almost completed.

KNIFE

Penetrated His Eye and Destroyed the Sight.

Mendon Lad Brought to the Lima Hospital for Treatment. A Patient from Van Wert.

Douglas Bonnifield, a lad living at Mendon, was brought to the hospital yesterday, to be treated for a painful injury to his eye, which will cause the loss of the sight and may result in the removal of the eye. While leaning with his elbow on a table his hand slipped and the point of a sharp knife penetrated the ball. Dr. Steuber is attending his and an effort will be made to heal the wound without removing the eye.

Wm. Deitert, of Van Wert, who lost the sight of an eye as the result of spinal fever, is a patient at the hospital and will receive treatment for the other eye which has become affected.

ANOTHER ONE.

Mrs. U. S. Beam Files Suit for Divorce.

The report that there was trouble between Dr. U. S. Beam, the colored physician and his wife, but which the latter denied when a TIMES-DEMOCRAT reporter called to inquire about an alleged separation, has been more than verified this afternoon by the filing of a most sensational divorce petition.

Mrs. Beam says her husband has property worth $2,000 and has money in the bank. From his practice he receives about $200 a month, and the wife asks the court to enjoin him from using this money or incumbering his property until the final hearing of the case.

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Handsome Waists that were $5.00 and $5.50, now going at $2.98; $6.50 and $7.50 Waists, now $3.98; among them rich garments in colors as well as black.

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Unprecedented Suit Bargains here. $5.00 for Suits that were $16.00; $6.98 for Suits that were $10.00, $12.50 and $13.50; $7.98 for Suits that were $13.50, $15.00 and $16.50; $9.50 for Suits that were $16.50 and $19.50, this gives you excellent garments in many instances at 1-2 price and less. Every garment thoroughly tailored, perfect fit guaranteed.

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Big Bargains in Rainy Day Skirts at $3.98 and 5.00. Big Bargains in Fine Dress Skirts at $6.98, $7.50 and $9.50. Big Bargains in Kid Gloves at 69c. Big Bargains in Ladies' Cloth Gaiters at 12c, 16c, 23c and 29c. Big Bargains in Corsets—some of the best $1.00 Corsets here at 50c, in all sizes—$1.50 and $2.00 Corsets here at $1.00. Big Bargains in Muslin Underwear, special lots in Gowns, Skirts, Drawers and Corset Covers that merit your attention.

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